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FIGHT FOR THREE VITAL TOWNS

HEAVY GERMAN LOSSES

MOSCOW, Friday. — The Red Army now is exerting strong pressure south-west of Moscow, on the strategic triangle whose three points encompass the vital rail and industrial towns of Bryansk, Orel and Kursk.

Each of these is a junction of main lines, forming part of the vast net-work of railways linking Leningrad, White Russia and the Baltic with the Ukraine. Before Stalin's "scorched earth" destroyed the factories which could not be moved to the safety of the Urals, Bryansk was the home of a vast metallurgical and locomotive industry.

Earlier in the week a Russian wedge between the German defence systems at Orel and Kursk was formed by the capture of strong points in the neighbourhood of Fatezh, and Bryansk was outflanked by an advance which threatened the German garrison at Ordzhonikidze, eight miles to the north-west. In the last few days there has been particularly fierce fighting, with the Russians seeking to penetrate the German lines north-east of Orel.

Meanwhile Moscow Radio announces that 58,000 Germans have been killed or wounded on the Leningrad front during April. Besides these heavy losses, under the hammer-blows of General Meretskov's troops, the Germans also lost a vast amount of war material.

The Soviet Baltic Fleet, says Moscow Radio, has sunk 168 Axis ships, including a battleship, a cruiser, 16 destroyers, 18 U-boats, 18 torpedo boats and 114 transports since the beginning of hostilities. Moscow Radio also reports that the Leningrad Fleet Air Arm pilots and naval anti-aircraft gunners have brought down 721 aircraft.—(Press Association and Reuter.)

LENINGRAD BESIEGED

"TIMES" TELEGRAM.

STOCKHOLM, Friday.—For the first time since the autumn Leningrad is now completely besieged, as the railway over Lake Ladoga has ceased to operate, and no sort of navigation will be possible there until the ice disappears. The position in Leningrad is substantially better now, however, than it was in the autumn. The winter traffic has replenished the city's supplies, and fresh soldiers are now manning the improved defences and making Leningrad a real beleaguered fortress. Indeed, Leningrad, with its gigantic munition factories working regularly, is a larger and more complete Russian "hedgehog" than the Germans—who invented this term during the winter—either had or have.—(Copyright—Per Press Association.)

EVE OF BIG EVENTS

WAR LORDS MEET AT SALZBURG

"DECISIONS OF GREAT IMPORTANCE"

THERE is much speculation in Axis and Allied countries as to the purpose and the result of the meeting in Salzburg, in Austria, on Wednesday and Thursday last, of Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini.

According to a Berlin communiqué the conversations resulted in complete accord of views on the situation created by the overwhelming victory of the Tripartite Pact Powers, and on the further conduct of the war by the two nations in a political and military sphere.

Among those who were present were the Reich Minister for Foreign Affairs, Von Ribbentrop; the Italian Foreign Minister, Count Ciano; the Chief of the German High Command, Field-Marshal Keitel, and the Chief of General Staff of the Italian Army, Colonel-General Count Cavallero.

Beyond the announcement of complete agreement of views, the Axis capitals have remained silent regarding the purpose of the talks, but, according to the Essen newspaper, "National Zeitung," "this spring the Axis will again be attacking with all the available means in its power."

MILITARY ASPECT OF TALKS

One probable result is that Italy will have to undergo a tightening process similar to that planned for Germany, writes Reuter's Diplomatic Correspondent. Another, which would be more important, might affect Japan. Absence of the name of a Japanese representative is noteworthy in the list of those officially stated to have been present.

Rome radio said:—"It is clear we are on the threshold of great political and military events, destined to have their influence on the development of the present conflict."

The "predominant military aspect of the meeting" was emphasised in a German Foreign Office statement, which pointed to the presence of the German and Italian Chiefs of Staff, Keitel and Cavallero, says a Reuter telegram from Berlin.

According to competent Berlin quarters, three facts emerged from the Salzburg meeting:—

"(1) The favourable position of the Axis Powers in the Mediterranean, characterised since the last meeting between Adolf Hitler and Benito Mussolini by the successful defeat of the British offensive in Libya; the pressure on Malta; and the weakening of the enemy fleet in this area.

"(2) The failure of the Soviet winter offensive, implying a disaster for the hopes of Great Britain and the United States; and

"(3) The overwhelming Japanese successes in East Asia and in the Pacific."

These facts disproved statements from Buenos Aires alleging Italian peace feelers and a crisis in Italy, it was stated.

NO SPRING PEACE

The *National Zeitung*, of Essen (Marshal Goering's paper), says:—"Germany and the troops fighting with her have reached the victorious conclusion of the winter campaign, and stand before a new offensive."

The *Giornale d'Italia* declares that decisions "of great importance and scope were taken, and the enemy will be informed of them at the required time—not without surprise. The winter did not pass in vain. The Axis industries produced an enormous quantity of munitions, and new masses of men were trained for the front."

Another large batch of German police officials arrived in Rome, says Rome radio, "to attend a course on the organisation of the Italian police force in East Africa." This is the sixth course of instruction on the same subject.—(Reuter.)

Signor Mussolini goes before the Council of Ministers on Saturday to report on his talks with Herr Hitler covering the necessity for greatly increasing the war effort, according to an Associated Press telegram from Berne last night.

U.S. FACING LONG WAR

Mr. J. G. Winant, the American Ambassador, now in Britain from the United States, said in London that the American people were preparing for a long war, and that they were determined to wage it to a successful finish. He had never seen America more united or more determined.

Asked if there had been any criticism of Russia for not having declared war upon Japan, Mr. Winant said: "The average American wants to give all the support possible to Russia. The people want Russia to have the best chance possible to smash Germany. They, themselves, feel equal to the job of settling Japan."

More should be done to keep Britons and Americans informed of what was being done on their respective home fronts. Clothes rationing might be introduced in the United States.

RIGHT AND MIGHT

Mr. Arthur Greenwood, Deputy-Leader of the British Labour Party, told a May Day international reunion in London: "Right and ever-increasing might are on our side. Hitler's speech on Sunday was a cry from the heart of a man in torment, a man uncertain and fearful of the future."

Alas, those cars!

FREEDOM OF ROAD FOR CYCLISTS

DEMAND FOR CITY FLATS

IN streets reminiscent of centuries past, new generations of cyclists yesterday tasted for the first time the freedom of motorless roads—and put fear into the hearts of pedestrians. Clanging their bells, massing behind the traffic lights, scraping past 'buses and advancing in solid phalanxes upon the pedestrian-crossings, they took full advantage of their new superiority.

Taxi-cabs were not unusually busy. By 12 noon 350 taxi-drivers belonging to the I.H.T.O.A. had drawn only 185 gallons of petrol out of their monthly allowance. Rush-hour 'buses were crowded, and back-seat drivers, who for years had piloted their own cars to the office, commented on 'bus drivers.

A number of motorists who ventured out without discs paid for their foolhardiness—and were interrogated by vigilant Guards. Car park officials, robbed of virtually all their customers, surveyed their empty pitches disconsolately, while garage hands dealt only with those who were laying up their cars.

NO PARKING

Dublin cyclists who hope that the Corporation, the Gardai, or any other body, is going to provide them with official "bicycle parks" are due to a disappointment. The *Irish Times* understands that the Corporation's view is that this is a matter for private enterprise.

As the law stands, it is illegal to park a bicycle for any length of time on any part of the public thoroughfare. No statutory powers exist to enable the police authorities to permit such an act. Under the Road Traffic Act (1933) power is given the Commissioner of Police, with the consent of the Minister for Local Government and Public Health, to make by-laws setting aside parts of the roadway as motor car parks only.

Those who live in the suburbs are returning to the more central districts of Dublin. "We have noticed an extra heavy demand for flats within easy walking distance of the town," an *Irish Times* reporter was told by a firm of house agents yesterday. The demand is from people who formerly had flats in Dun Laoghaire and other coastal areas, or small houses in the less accesible suburbs. Landladies are likely to find their livelihood in danger if they live too far from the city, since business and Civil Service clerks, whose day's work starts at 9 a.m., are being forced to live as near to their work as possible.

The transport restrictions are not having an effect on the house property market at the moment. Even those people whose houses are as far out as Dundrum and Foxrock are not prepared to dispose of their residences in a low market.

CORK AND GALWAY

Cork City wore a very quiet air, with practically no motor cars around. Civic Guards took the numbers of the occasional cars still in use. A few displayed the special permits, but most garages are now full of cars stored until better times. Following the introduction of curtailed 'bus services, a considerable number of men employed in the Cork section, G.S.R. Omnibus Company, are under notice.

Galway was a city of bicycles and horse-drawn vehicles. The only motor traffic to be seen consisted of a few commercial trucks and cars on essential services. People living along the Corrib are now using boats to get to the city. Professor L. Shea yesterday rowed down the river from his home at Menlo to University College.

ALL-DAY SWEEPS ON FRANCE

EIGHT FIGHTERS LOST

BRITISH fighter and bomber aircraft yesterday resumed their offensive over Northern France.

In an early morning sweep to the Dunkirk area yesterday, pilots of the British Fighter Command met with no opposition, but in an afternoon sweep, although engaged in dog-fights at 20,000 feet over the Calais district, the Spitfires came home unscathed after destroying an F.W. 190, according to the Air Ministry News Service.

Cloud and rain over the Channel made the Fighter Command's offensive operations in the afternoon more difficult. In two further sweeps—one over Le Havre and the other behind Cap Gris Nez—Spitfires were in combat with F.W. 190s and Messerschmitt 109s. From Le Havre they returned claiming only two damaged.

Later in the afternoon squadrons of fighters escorted Boston bombers which attacked the station and railway yards at St. Omer, and accompanied also another force of Bostons, which bombed objectives at Calais, and bomb-carrying Hurricanes, which attacked other targets in Northern France. Eight British fighters were lost in the day's operations, but the pilot of one is reported safe. No bombers were lost.

ATTACKS ON ENGLAND

The Royal Air Force brought down eleven raiders on Thursday night—eight over Eastern England and the others in France, says the Press Association.

Bombs were dropped at several places on the English North-east coast, and at a few places in Eastern England. There were some casualties, including a small number of persons killed. Nowhere was the damage extensive.

Eight bodies were recovered at a North-East England Coast town—six being of one family.

A fight between two 'planes was seen by watchers at an Eastern England coast town. A bomb on a village blew a man out of bed.

In the last eight nights the *Luftwaffe* have lost over Britain at least twenty-four bombers, says the Press Association.

According to the British Air Ministry a few raiding aircraft were over the South-West Coast of England for a short time early yesterday morning. Bombs which were dropped caused a little damage, but no person was seriously injured. There was nothing else to report during daylight yesterday.

Yesterday's German communiqué said that on Thursday night bomber aircraft successfully attacked harbours and shipyards on the East Coast of England.

MR. MORRISON'S VIEWS

Mr. Herbert Morrison, British Home Secretary, at Shoreditch yesterday said that their aerial counter-offensive had continued the attack on the heart of industrial Germany—the factories, docks and shipyards. Hitler's "blow-for blow" reprisals on Bath, Norwich and York were not the replies of a man who carefully planned a strategic campaign.

"We are not going to be bamboozled in our air offensive against Germany, come what may," he added. "We had a rough time during the bombing of Britain. The Germans showed us no mercy. If we keep up the proportion of enemy 'planes brought down we shall break up the so-called reprisal raids.

"Bombing by the Royal Air Force will go through to the end with 100 per cent. strength. If the German people want to stop it there is only one way, and that is for them to achieve a great victory over their own Government by overthrowing it by any means, revolutionary or other. If they won't do it, we will do it for them."

'PLANES DOWN AT MALTA

MALTA, Friday.—It is officially announced that five raiding aircraft were destroyed and six damaged in raids on Malta yesterday.

One 'plane was destroyed and two were damaged in raids to-day.—(Reuter.)

SUGAR SALES PENALTY

RATION FOR 35,000 SHORT

James Barry, shopkeeper, 29 William street, Limerick, was fined £9 at Limerick District Court yesterday, when prosecuted on five counts under the Emergency Powers (Sugar) Order.

Mr. J. J. Power, State Solicitor, prosecuting, said that the main prosecutions against Barry were for selling sugar to retailers while not a licensed wholesaler, and for failing to maintain proper records. Investigations showed Barry to have a shortage of 235 cwt., which would represent the ration of 35,000 persons at ½lb. of sugar per week. The sugar position in Limerick was often critical, although the full quota had arrived for ration requirements.

The District Justice dismissed the summons for selling to retailers for lack of evidence, and also a summons for selling to unregistered customers.

Mr. M. Tynan, solicitor, defending, pleaded guilty to summonses for failing to keep proper monthly records and for failing to keep statutory forms up to date. The fifth summons for making entries which were false or misleading was proved by Mr. P. McKeown, inspector, who said that Mr. Barry had a record of a sale to a military post which did not take place.

19 GERMANS DROWNED

VICHY, Friday.—The Japanese Government have informed the Vatican that nineteen German missionaries of the Society of the Divine Word were drowned when the ship in which they were being evacuated from the Sunda Isles, in the South Pacific, was sunk in a Japanese attack.—(Reuter.)

AIR CHIEF'S SON SHOT

LONDON, Friday.—Ole Luetzowholm, son of the Chief of the Norwegian Naval Air Arm in Britain, was one of the 18 Norwegians shot in Norway yesterday, according to the Norwegian Radio.—(Reuter.)

JAPANESE 20 MILES FROM MANDALAY

NEW BRITISH FRONT NEAR CAPITAL

JAPANESE troops, forcing their way north along the Sittang Railway, have attacked Kyaukse, 20 miles from Mandalay City, and British troops, successfully withdrawn behind an armoured screen from the Kyaukpedaung-Meiktila line, are preparing for what may be the decisive battle around Mandalay.

A fierce battle is also taking place on the Irrawaddy front, south-west of Mandalay, and the British withdrawal to the north bank of the river is proceeding successfully.

Four Chinese columns are being rushed against the Japanese at Lashio and Hsipaw.

The Japanese claim further successes in the Philippines.—(Reuter.)

The following is Burma communiqué:—"Friday. Irrawaddy Front—British withdrawal to north bank, Irrawaddy, proceeds successfully. Small Japanese party raided Monywa, but are being successfully dealt with.

"Mandalay Front—A Gurkha brigade with tanks reported to have had most successful action with enemy north of Kyaukse, inflicting up to 500 casualties, with own loss of 10. Kyaukse bridge successfully blown up."

The Chungking (Chinese) war communiqué says:—"Fighting was in progress to-day at Hsenwi, north-west of Lashio. Japanese troops on the railway are attacking Kyoukse, twenty miles south of Mandalay."

A NEW FRONT

NEW DELHI, Friday. — "An armoured screen gave very effective protection to General Alexander's forces in their withdrawal from Meiktila—80 miles south of Mandalay—to a new front, where they are mainly disposed around Mandalay and linked up with the Chinese forces east of that city.

"Another small Chinese army is still active between Taunggyi and Loilem, but is cut off from Chungking, as, in the dash for Lashio, the Japanese forces cut in behind Loilem and seized the road. The British and Chinese columns have only given ground throughout when they have been outflanked or the troops overcome by sheer exhaustion. Japanese casualties in the recent advance are believed to have been very heavy—probably between 20 and 25 per cent. of their effectives."—(Reuter.)

The Chinese *communiqué* also states: "Japanese forces which reached the railway bridge to the north of Lashio last night continued to drive northward in the direction of Hsenwi, with the Chinese expeditionary force in Burma offering stubborn resistance. Until this morning fighting was still in progress in this area. Meanwhile Chinese forces remaining in the Japanese rear are at present very active, vigorously attacking Japanese positions in the rear. Chinese units have been particularly successful in these operations between Taunggyi and Loilem, where heavy casualties have been inflicted on the enemy.

"Japanese forces which are advancing northward along the Rangoon-Mandalay railway on Wednesday attacked Kyukse, 20 miles to the south of Mandalay. Fighting is at present going on in this area."—(Reuter.)

"Japanese forces at Yangho, to the north-east of Sinyang, advanced towards Siaowangtien, and then continued to advance on Tuesday morning in the direction of Toukou. They were intercepted by Chinese forces in the vicinity of Pinhotien, where fighting is at present in progress."—(Reuter.)

BASES BOMBED

Friday.—An Australian communiqué says:—Allied aircraft, continuing their offensive against Japanese invasion bases north of Australia, have attacked Lae and Salamaua, in New Guinea. Direct hits were scored on a line of thirty 'planes at an aerodrome at Lae, and large fires were observed in the target area. Ground installations were hit at Salamaua and three enemy 'planes shot down. Eight enemy bombers, with fighter escort, attacked the aerodrome on Horn Island, just off Queensland, but damage was negligible.—(Reuter.)

United States Headquarters, New Delhi, announced:—"A night raid was carried out on April 29 by an American bombing flight, led by Major Kaiser, of General Brereton's Command. Sticks of 500lb. bombs were dropped, damaging the dock area in Rangoon. The flight successfully dodged enemy anti-aircraft fire and an attack by enemy fighters. One enemy fighter was hit."—(Reuter.)

JAPANESE CLAIMS

TOKYO, Friday.—Japanese forces on Luzon Island have stormed and occupied positions on Mount Pinatubo, where the provinces of Pampana, Tarlac and Zambales join, says a Domei despatch from the Philippines.—(Reuter.)

Mr. D. A. O'Donnell, Horticultural Instructor, instructing children on the plots at Cabra.

GENERAL SMUTS'S CALL TO SOUTH AFRICA

Warning that the Japanese might attempt to attack South Africa, General Smuts, South African Prime Minister, made an urgent call for an all-out effort for defence, says a Reuter telegram from Johannesburg.

"Japan is to-day at the approaches to the Indian Ocean, where our continent lies," he said. "The menace is coming to us from the most dangerous quarter, and because of this I am especially grateful that we saw the light in this country, and that we pushed the danger by land as far away as possible. I have seen secret reports of what happened in the Dutch East Indies. Rather than expose South Africa to that final degradation, we should be prepared, and I am prepared, to go the whole hog and inspan all the forces of South Africa.

TEST FOR L.S.F. MOTOR UNIT

BY A REPORTER.

Wearing their new uniforms—blue blouses, riding breeches, boots and peaked cap with the special double-winged badge—members of the Dublin Motor-cycle Despatch Unit of the Local Security Force rode through the darkened streets of Dublin early yesterday morning on their first big "blitz" test.

With blacked-out headlights throwing a small beam of light, the sixty members of the Unit, half of them from a base at Whitehall and the other half from Donnybrook, crossed the city by back street and lane to dodge an "enemy" which had barred main thoroughfares and destroyed the main Liffey bridges.

The purpose of the test was to train the men to carry despatches. Before setting out they committed to memory a message which they repeated at checks along the route. Their password was, appropriately, "Speed and Efficiency."

Members of this special unit of the L.D.F. and the only other (at Howth) are holding themselves in readiness to transfer to Cork, Galway, or any other provincial city to which the Government might be forced to move.

Led by Group Leader A. Archer, the riders put up a very fine performance.

TRAILER INJURES THREE

A trailer attached to an A.R.P. vehicle, which was travelling along Monaghan street, Newry, last night, broke adrift, and a cyclist was knocked down and carried along the street. The trailer then struck two young children, who were playing close at hand. All three were taken to the Newry Infirmary, where their condition is stated to be serious. The cyclist is Charles O'Neill, and the names of the children are Patrick and Eileen Brady, Monaghan street, Newry.

"INDEPENDENCE ALONE"

ALLAHABAD, Friday.—A declaration that no compromise is possible, and that Britain must abandon her hold on India, is made in a resolution moved by the All-India Congress Committee. "It is on the basis of independence alone that India can deal with Britain or other nations."—(Reuter.)

U.S. AND DE GAULLE

WASHINGTON, Friday. — The United States Government will continue its recognition of General de Gaulle as a symbol of French military resistance against the Axis, but will go no further, an authoritative source here stated.—(Reuter.)

250 DEAD IN EXPLOSION

LONDON, Friday.—A large chemical factory at Tessenderloo, thirty-five miles north-east of Brussels, has been destroyed by an explosion, states a Belgian announcement quoted by Berlin. Two hundred and fifty people were killed and 1,000 injured.

Homeward Bound—Waiting for Cork 'bus.

CALL TO FRENCH WORKERS

"IGNORE THE CLASS SYSTEM"

MARSHAL PETAIN, in a May Day broadcast, appealed to French workers not to restore the class system.

Speaking at Thiers he said that during the year progress had been made with the professional and moral organisation of the country. Already more than one thousand social committees of undertakings were in being or were about to come into operation. The workmen and employers in fifteen trades had joined hands and submitted draft charters for their formation into corporations. He urged employers not to attempt "to use the social committees to re-establish hypocritical domination of the lives of wage-earners."

UNITY APPEAL

Assuring the workers that they would be able to make their voices heard and to defend their interests in the organising and social committees, Marshal Pétain said: "Abandon the old divisions which separated you into rival social associations. Leave your isolation and your political struggles, and enter into the great social and technical organisations which will give stability to France. Together we shall bring our country that internal peace which it needs for its salvation. United, sharing our work and our sufferings, we shall prepare for the return of France to external peace, to prosperity and freedom."—(Reuter.)

IRISH LIGHTSHIP'S PERIL

CREW ABANDON SHIP

A thrilling story of sea hazard was made known yesterday when the relief boat in charge of Mr. William Bates, attending the Coningbeg lightship, arrived at Kilmore quay, County Wexford. For the first time in history, Mr. Bates said, the crew of the Coningbeg had to abandon ship when mines bore down on her one day last week. It was three o'clock in the afternoon when the watch shouted the warning. Ten mines swinging along with the tide from the North-East were counted by the lightshipmen. The order was given to temporarily abandon the ship, towards which the mines were directly heading. Only the westward one of the ship's two lifeboats could be launched, and the crew of eight boarded her. They were still in the danger-zone when the first mine hit the lightship and rolled along her side. It was a calm day, and providentially her motion did not accelerate the action of the mine. Due to the slackness of the tide, the mines remained in the vicinity of the ship, while the crew watched and waited near by. After some time the mines were carried away to the South-West, and the crew returned to the lightship.

MINE AT ROSSLARE

A large drifting mine in Rosslare Bay caused considerable alarm along the seafront. It narrowly missed the pier, and came ashore on the beach, where military cordoned it off. Army engineers blew up the mine last evening.

KEEP THE HOME FIRES BURNING!

There is great activity in the Turf areas to-day. Thousands of workers are cutting and preparing Turf for our requirements in the months which lie ahead. The despised fuel of yesterday has now assumed a vital importance due to the restrictions imposed by the present emergency, and we will have to depend on the work of the Turf Cutter for our cooking and heating next winter.

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BELFAST SHELTERS

TWO MEN CHARGED

At Belfast Police Court yesterday, Thomas Joseph Gray, merchant tailor, of Cliftonville avenue, and John Joseph Mulvenna, of Main street, Ballyclare, were remanded on two charges—(1) With having effected a public mischief by departing from the specifications for the erection of certain air raid shelters; (2) conspiracy to defraud the Belfast Civil Defence Authority in connection with the construction of air raid shelters.

There was a further charge against Gray of having obtained £365 14s. by falsely pretending that the shelters were completed in accordance with the specifications.

Gray was admitted to bail in £1,000 and two sureties of £500 each, and, in the case of Mulvenna, bail was fixed at £500 and two sureties of £250 each.

MISSING FARMER

BICYCLE FOUND IN LOFT

The bicycle stated to have been used by Laurence Kirwan, the young farmer, who has been missing from his home at Ballincloghan, Rahan, since the November Fair in Tullamore, has been discovered. In the course of the investigation conducted by Gardai, in charge of Chief Superintendent Murphy and Superintendent Delaney, late on Friday night, they visited a farmstead at Ballinasragh, and in a disused hayloft the bicycle was found intact. Further inquiries are being made in the neighbourhood.

ONE PARCEL PER WEEK

U.S. POSTAL LIMITATION

Irish firms, some of which used to receive as many as 7,000 11lb. parcels a month by parcels post from the United States of America, may now receive—four

The announcement that large consignments by parcels post had been stopped was made in last Thursday's *Irish Times*. Now follows the news that only *one* parcel a week, weighing a maximum of 11lb., may be sent to each receiver. Importers who had parcels on the way before the making of the new regulations need not worry, however; their consignments will be free to enter.

The 72-inch overall dimension of the parcels is now reduced to 36 inches. Their average value was £10, and it is learned that goods to approximately the same value may be sent in the smaller parcels. Last year two million dollars worth of general goods reached Eire in this way.

Congestion in the New York Post Office, through which the bulk of the deliveries passed, is understood to be the cause of the ban. As well as soft goods for drapery houses, the postal service also carried chemicals, medicinal tablets, etc. Up till April 1st general licences covering the various classes of goods were sufficient, but on that date individual licences for each parcel became the rule. A fortnight later the one parcel a week order came into force. The *Irish Times* understands that importing interests involved are endeavouring to obtain a modification of the new regulation.

WORKERS WHO REFUSE EMPLOYMENT

DRASTIC NEW ORDER

The effect of a new Emergency Order made by the Government yesterday is to amend the existing Unemployment Assistance Acts in certain respects. The Order will disqualify for the receipt of unemployment assistance throughout the remainder of the current calendar year any applicant for unemployment assistance who refuses, or fails to seek, employment suitable for him within the meaning of the Unemployment Assistance Acts, in agriculture or in the turf industry, or who leaves his employment in those industries voluntarily, without just cause or loses it through his misconduct.

Any person who refuses an offer of suitable employment, or who leaves employment, or who loses employment, will be ineligible to receive a travel permit to enable him to proceed to employment outside this country for a period of six months after the event.

KERMIT ROOSEVELT

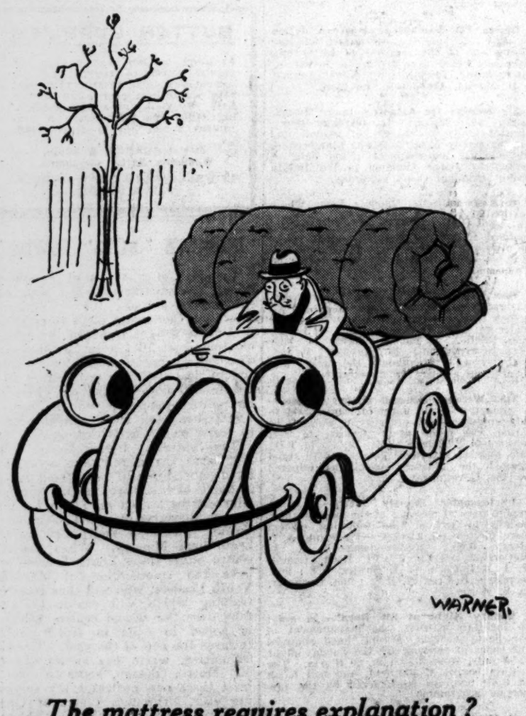
HARTFORD, CONN., Friday.—Colonel Kermit Roosevelt, son of the late President Theodore Roosevelt, yesterday entered a neuro-psychiatric institute for a four months' course of treatment under a voluntary agreement. His brother, Archibald, had sought in the Probate Court to have him committed for a year.

Colonel Roosevelt alleged that his brother, a doctor and two ambulance attendants took him bound to a stretcher to Hartford, where he signed the voluntary commitment "under duress." His agreement to enter the retreat closed the case.—(Reuter.)

SHIPS FOR VATICAN

LONDON, Friday.—The increasing scarcity of rationed foodstuffs has prompted the Vatican to become the owner of an ocean-going mercantile marine. Four vessels flying the Vatican flag will shortly go into service between Civita Vecchia, the port of Rome, and South America.—(Times telegram, per Press Association.)

Lieut.-Colonel A. C. Newman, who led the British raid on St. Nazaire, is a prisoner of war.



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Aces Up May Win Again

RACEGOERS will have their first experience of going racing without any means of car transport at Phœnix Park this afternoon, but the venue is close to the City, and, no doubt, there will be a good attendance. Patrons of the reserved and grand stand enclosures will have special accommodation for bicycles inside the main entrance. The parking stand is so arranged that no two bicycles can touch or be blown down, and will be in charge of two uniformed attendants.♦

Of the twelve runners for the Laidlaw Plate, Aces Up and Walvis are good winners, and the former may score again. There will be a big field for the Belvedere Hurdle, which may be won by Point d'Atout. Selections:—

Blanchardstown Plate—**Blue Sleigh.**
Belvedere Hurdle—**Point d'Atout.**
Beaupare Plate — **H. M. Hartigan's selected.**
Laidlaw Plate—**Aces Up.**
Balrath Plate—**Never No More.**
Balbriggan Plate—**Dover Girl.**
TOTE DOUBLE.
Aces Up and Dover Girl.

Curragh Selections—3.0, Carnalea; 3.30, The Gripper; 4.0, Malideh; 4.30, Walvis; 5.0, Golspie; 5.30, Ballyoran.

3.0 — BLANCHARDSTOWN PLATE, £100. 5f. T.Y.O. st. lb.

Blue Sleigh (J. P. Cuffe) ..... E. Parkinson 9 7
Carnlea (Sir T. Dixon) ..... Brabazon 9 5
Coupe Jacques (T. Nugent) ..... Owner 9 0
Suntop (G. J. Ellis) ..... Ussher 9 0
Lady Aimoner (Mrs. C. B. Harty) ..... C. Harty 8 10
Nourrice (B. Kerr) ..... J. Davis 8 10
Fabulous (Jos. McGrath) ..... Collins 8 10
Really (Mrs. T. F. McKeever) Arnott 8 10
Lady Let (J. G. McKenna) B. Nugent 8 10
Scenario (Mrs. A. L. Moore) ..... O'Connell 8 10

21 Blue Sleigh. Carried 8-10 when winning 2½l. 1½l. from Passed In (8-9) and King's Bounty (8-5), Baldoyle, March 18 (5 f.). Carried 8-10 when beaten 3l. by Gay Stella (8-6), with Lady Let (8-6) neck behind, Baldoyle, March 17 (5 f.).

1 Carnlea. Carried 8-4 when winning ¾l. 1l. from Friction (8-9) and Rocky Valley (8-9), Naas, March (5 f.). Coupe Jacques (8-12) was unplaced.

0 Coupe Jacques. See Carnlea.

4 Suntop. Carried 7-13 when fourth of 14 to Airy Prince (8-10), Phœnix Park, April (5 f.).

3 Nourrice. Carried 8-10 when beaten 3l., 2l. by Fair W.A.A.F. (8-10) and Ryskid (8-10), Leopardstown April (5 f.).

3 Lady Let. See Blue Sleigh.

3.30 — BELVEDERE HANDICAP HURDLE, £100. 2m. Age st. lb.

The Gripper (W. M. Shawe Taylor) ..... Usher a 12 7
Point d'Atout (Miss A. E. Hall) ..... B. Nugent 6 11 12
Foxchase (Miss Paget) C. Rogers a 11 11
Antrim (Sir P. Loraine) O'Ferrall 5 11 9
Red Shaft (J. Bailie-Lindsay) Cox 6 11 0
Jenkinston (P. J. Leonard) ..... Leonard, jun. 5 11 0
Pride of Rheims (Mr. T. G. Fletcher) ..... J. Power a 10 11
Never no More (J. F. Sutherland) ..... T. Dreaper 6 10 10
Trance (F. O'Beirne) ...Lenehan a 10 7
Clonbern (M. McDonough) ..... J. Parkinson 5 10 7
George Dandin (Fl.-Lt. C. G. Reid Walker) ..... O'Ferrall a 10 2
Slievardagh (D. E. Reynolds) ..... Sleator Jun. a 10 2
Bray Glen (D. Frame) W. Byrne a 10 2
Tidings (F. Mulley) ..... Turner 5 10 0
Vides (B. Kerr) ..... T. Nugent 5 9 11
Innisconne (D. Malone) ...Owner 5 9 10
Alistair (W. R. Lysaght) ..... D. Rogers a 9 10
Sea Bachelor (E. Lelany) Owner a 9 7
Step Aside Prince (Mrs. C. Gradwell) ..... Gradwell a 9 7
Knight's Ward (E. Malone) ..... Banahan 5 9 7
Sugar Lump (W. Barry) Owner a 9 7

21 The Gripper. Carried 12-0 when winning neck, 2½l. from Point d'Atout (11-7) and Foxchase (11-11), Curragh, April (2m. hurdles). Pride of Rheims (11-0) was fourth of 15, George Dandin (10-1) fifth, and Slievardagh (10-6) sixth.

12 Point d'Atout. See The Gripper. Carried 12-6 when winning neck, 5l. from Red Shaft (11-4) and Knocknagoran (11-6), Navan, April (2m. flat). Foxchase (11-4) and Sugar Lump (10-8) were unplaced. See Clonbern.

03 Foxchase. See The Gripper and Point d'Atout.

33 Antrim. Carried 9-5 when beaten 3l., 3l. by Etoile de Lyons (9-0) and Tiverton (9-0), Curragh, April (1¾m.). Carried 11-0 when beaten 2l., ¾l. by Amor de Cuba (10-0) and Swindon Beauty (9-7), Gaiway, July (2m. hurdles).

02 Red Shaft. See Point d'Atout.

0 Jenkinston. Unplaced with 7-3 to Foam Crest (7-6) Curragh April (1m.). Carried 9-13 when winning 3l., ½l. from Funny (10-7) and Sea Bachelor (9-7) Navan April (2m. hurdles). Pride of Rheims (11-0) was fourth of 14 and Step Aside Prince (9-7) behind.

44 Pride of Rheims. See The Gripper and Jenkinston.

20 Never no More. See Balrath Plate. Carried 10-9 when beaten 3l. by Colehill (10-7) Baldoyle March (1m. 7f. hurdles).

02 Trance. Carried 11-5 when beaten 5l. by Agag (10-7) Sligo April (1½m. hurdles).

00 Clonbern. Unplaced with 10-4 to Point d'Atout (10-9) Navan Feb. (2½m. hurdles).

0 George Dandin. See The Gripper.

30 Slievardagh. See The Gripper.

00 Vides. Unplaced with 10-2 to Heirdom (11-0) Leopardstown Jan. (2m. hurdles).

10 Innisconne. Unplaced with 9-3 to Camerlone (7-11) Curragh April (1m.). Carried 9-9 when winning 1½l., 3l. from Enticement (9-10) and Simple Song (11-1) Naas Feb. (2m. hurdles).

00 Alistair Unplaced with 11-2 to Mobilisation (11-3), Naas April (1½m. hurdles).

03 Sea Bachelor. See Jenkinston.

00 Sugar Lump. See Point d'Atout.

4.0 — BEAUPARC PLATE, £100. 1m. st. lb.

Coromyth (D. Frame) ..... W. Byrne 9 0
Hasty Earl (Miss Paget) C. Rogers 9 0
Dun Angus (Mr. W. Shawe Taylor) ..... Ussher 9 0
Fairest (Lord Talbot de Malahide) ..... Blake 8 10
Pothunter's Luck (T. G. Fletcher) ..... J. J. Power 8 10
Cookstown (H. M. Hartigan) Owner 8 10
Caltha (W. J. Kelly) ..... Owner 8 10
Path of Glory (B. Kerr) ...J. Davis 8 10
Malideh (H.H. Aga Khan) Hartigan 8 10

20 Coromyth. Carried 8-1 when fifth of 18 to Brownstown (8-9) Curragh April (1m.). Carried 9-0 when beaten 3l. by Miller (9-0), Phœnix Park April (1m.).

3 Hasty Earl. See Malideh.

4 Dun Angus. See Malideh.

0 Pothunter's Luck. Unplaced with 8-10 to Astrologer (9-0), Curragh April (5f.).

20 Cookstown Carried 7-0 when fifth of 28 to Foam Crest (7-6), Curragh April (1m.). Carried 7-0 when beaten 3¼l. by Ins an Mala (7-0), Baldoyle March (7f.).

0 Caltha. Unplaced with 8-10 to Eiderlink (8-10), Baldoyle March (1m 1f. 80yds.).

00 Path of Glory. Unplaced with 7-9 to Ins an Mala (8-3), Leopardstown April (1m.).

00 Malideh. Carried 7-4 (disq.) when finishing neck, 2½l. in front of Camerlone (7-11) and Eagle's Home (8-0), with Hasty Earl (8-2) fourth of 13 and Dun Angus (7-4) fifth, Curragh April (1m.).

4.30 — LAIDLAW T.Y.O. PLATE, £200. 5f. st. lb.

Aces Up (Mr. J. P. Cuffe) ..... E. Parkinson 9 6
Walvis (Sir T. Dixon) .....Brabazon 9 2
Madariaga (Mr. B. Kerr) J. E. Davis 8 10
Magic Bridge (Mr. Jos. McGrath) ..... Collins 8 10
Johnson (Mr J. Steen).....Lenehan 8 10
Zagazig (Mr. G. F. Annesley) ..... O'Ferrall 8 6
Bellock (Sir T. Dixon) .....Brabazon 8 6
Persian Bloom (Maj. R. P. Gill) ..... C. Rogers 8 6
The Duchess of Hainault (Lady Lambart) ..... Beary 8 6
Kitty Foyle (Mr. G. Mullan) ..... W. Byrne 8 6

01 Aces Up. Carried 9-0 when winning 1¾l., 4l. from Boscabell (8-10) and Miss Slideaway (8-5) Curragh April (5f.). Kitty Foyle (8-10) was fifth of 19. See Persian Bloom.

1 Walvis. Carried 8-0 when winning neck, 1l. from Airy Prince (9-10) and All Together (9-0) Curragh April (5f.). Zagazig (8-3) was unplaced.

0 Zagazig. See Walvis.

0 Persian Bloom. Carried 8-6 when fifth of 14 to Airy Prince (8-10) Phœnix Park April (5f.). Aces Up (8-10) and Gay Sheila (8-8) were behind.

0 Kitty Foyle. See Aces Up.

00 Gay Sheila. See Persian Bloom.

5.0 — BALRATH PLATE, £100. 1m. 2f. 50yds. Age st. lb.

Bray Victory (D. Frame) ... Hyde 5 11 8
Sal (C. G. McKenna) ... Owner 4 11 8
Wave Up (M. Owens) O'Sullivan a 11 8
Roseton (D. of St. Albans) ..... Fetherston 4 11 8
Tantah (M. Sheils) ..... Private 6 11 8
Never No More (J. F. Sutherland) ..... T. Dreaper 6 11 8
Golspie (H. S. Gill) ... D. Rogers 5 10 12
Caughoo (H. G. McDowell) Owner 3 10 12
Agamemnon (P. J. Fleming) ..... Lenehan 3 10 12
Gay Primrose (D. Malone) Owner 3 10 12
0 Bray Victory. Carried 11-8 when fourth of 13 to Glengormley (11-3), Phœnix Park April (1m. 2f. 50yds.). Never No More (11-8) was fifth, and Wave Up (11-8), Sal (11-3) and Caughoo (10-7) behind.

42 Golspie. Carried 9-0 when beaten 10l. by Astrologer (9-0), Curragh April (6f.). Carried 9-0 when fourth of 16 to Miller (9-0), Phœnix Park April (2m.).

0 Caughoo. See Bray Victory.

0 Sal. See Bray Victory.

3 Gay Primrose. Carried 7-9 when beaten 6l., 5l., by Wichlaw (7-13) and Falkirk (9-4), Curragh April (1¼m.).

00 Wave Up. See Bray Victory

2 Roseton. Carried 10-9 when beaten 10l. by Uplander (11-6). Naas March (1½m.).

20 Never No More. See Bray Victory.

5.30 — BALBRIGGAN PLACE MONEY H'CAP, £150. 5f. Age st. lb.

American Eagle (F. More O'Ferrall) ..... O Ferrall 4 9 6
Ballinter (W. J. Hilliard) ..... C. Rogers 3 9 1
Bray View (D. Frame) W. Byrne 5 9 0
Sunny Star (Mrs. G. Robinson) ..... Robinson 6 8 12
Ballyogan (Jos. McGrath) Collins 3 8 12
Dover Girl (T. J. S. Gray) Canty 3 8 10
First House (H. M. Hartigan) ..... Owner 3 8 5
Magrew (A. Willis) E. Parkinson 3 8 5
Fumble (Mrs. P. J. Lenehan) ..... Lenehan 5 8 4
Rothesay (Mrs. P. J. Beary) ..... Beary 4 8 2
Experto Crede (G. J. Ellis) ..... Ussher 3 8 1
Dead Level (Fl.-Lt. C. G. Reid Walker) .....O'Ferrall a 7 11
Columbia (Miss Paget)...C. Rogers 4 7 8
Loanore (Mrs. H. M. Hartigan) ..... Hartigan 3 7 8
British United (Miss Paget) ..... C. Rogers 4 7 7
Yahne Dargent (Mrs. Margetson) ..... McKenna 4 7 7

0 American Eagle. Unplaced with 9-0 to Four Flusher (8-10) Curragh April (6f. 63yds.).

11 Ballinter. Carried 9-6 when winning 2l., 1l. from Goldstream (8-6) and China Tealeaf (8 6) Phœnix Park June (5f.).

00 Bray View. See Ballyogan and Columbia.

30 Sunny Star. Unplaced with 8-8 to Ins an Mala (8-3) Leopardstown April (1m.). See Columbia.

01 Ballyogan. Carried 8-5 when winning 1l. neck from Balbriggan (9-7) and First House (8-6) Curragh April (5f.). Bray View (9-2) and Magrew (8-6) were unplaced. See Columbia.

1 Dover Girl. Carried 8-7 when winning 5l., 1¼l. from Isidore (9-7) and Linkchain (7-13) Naas March (6f.).

3 First House. See Ballyogan.

0 Fumble. See Columbia.

00 Magrew. See Ballyogan and Experto Crede.

00 Rothesay. Unplaced with 8-0 to Coupé (7-11) Curragh August (5f.).

00 Experto Crede. See Columbia. Carried 7-5 when fifth of 14 to Avon King (7-7) Naas March (5f.). Magrew (7-11) and Dead Level (7-2) were behind.

0 Dead Level. See Experto Crede.

2 Columbia. Carried 7-7 when beaten 1l. by Ins an Mala (7-11) Phœnix Park April (5f.). Sunny Star (8-6) was ¾l. behind, Loanore (7-5) fourth of 14, Experto Crede (7-11) fifth, Bray View (9-5) sixth, and Fumble (8-8) and Ballyogan (8-7) behind.

41 Loanore. Carried 7-9 when dead-heating with Kit Cosmo (9-0) Curragh April (5f.). See Columbia.

Tote Double—Fourth and Sixth.

Stockton Programme

TUSCALOOSA, second to Iceland at Pontefract last week, may turn the tables at Stockton to-day, and Meantime, who also occupied the runner-up position then, may go one better now. Selections:—

2.15, Stretto; 2.45, Meantime (nap); 3.10, Troop Leader; 3.40, Rattler; 4.5, War Savings; 4.30, Tuscaloosa; 4.55, Blue Road. Double: Meantime and Tuscaloosa.

2.15 — BISHOPTON HANDICAP. 6f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
00 Roxwell (Hardisty) 4, 9-6 ..... Nevett
100 Blotting Pad (M. Peacock), 4, 9-0 ..... Nevett
000 Stretto (Ray), 4, 9-0 ..... Colven
100 Reynard's Lodge (Mather), 6, 8-13 ..... Caldwell
004 Tetrabar (Russell), 5, 8-11 .....Fawdon
000 Arbaiester (Boyd), 4, 8-8 .....Evans
030 St. Samuel (H. Peacock), 4, 8-5 ..... J. Taylor
000 Gaston (Russell), 6, 8-1 .....Littlewood
023 Masco (G. Armstrong), 5, 7-13...Sirett
230 Outcome (F. Armstrong), 3, 7-11..Duke
000 Maltano (Perry), 4, 7-10...Wainwright
100 Collaboration (Elsey), 3, 7-10...Sherry
000 Your Pleasure (Newton), 5, 7-7....Dyson
400 Tripolite (F. Armstrong) 3, 7-7...Crisp

Betting Forecast—5/2 Tetrabar, 7/2 Stretto, 9/2 Masco, 6/1 St. Samuel and Blotting Pad, 10/1 others.

2.45 — ROSEBERY PLATE. 1m.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
200 Lion Tor (Elsey), 4, 9-2 .....Dearie
000 Broquart (Vasey), 5, 9-2 .....Mallorie
010 Blue-White (Easterby), 4, 8 11..Lawson
202 Meantime (Davey), 4, 8-10.....Worrall
300 Flamalia (Newton), 4, 8-10.....Leonard
000 Arcley Kings (F Armstrong), 4, 8-3 ..... Duke
434 Duncon (Newton), 4, 8-3.....
443 Spurwing (M. Peacock), 4, 8-3...Little
400 Draftsman (Oxtoby), 4, 8-3.....
00 Inversand (Renton), 4, 8-3.....
00 Miss Duggan (Easterby), 4, 8-3 .....
000 Acme (G. Armstrong), 5, 7-2...Pearson

Betting Forecast—7/4 Meantime, 5/2 Lion Tor, 6/1 Duncon, 8/1 Spurwing and Blue-White, 10/1 others.

3.10 — STOCKTON 3-Y.O. HANDICAP. 1m.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
012 Troop Leader (Elsey), 8-10 Stephenson
000 Scratch (Vasey), 8-10 .....McMinn
103 Tony (Russell), 8-10 .....Littlewood
000 Harvest Tune (F. Armstrong), 8-5 .....P. Beasley
0 St. Fechin (Elsey), 8-5 .....Evans
0 On Draft (Smallwood), 8-5 ...Fawdon
000 Dunmow (M. Peacock), 8-5 ...Nevett
Heath (M. Peacock), 8-2 .....Brooks
00 Canary Bird (H. Peacock), 8-2 ..... J. Taylor

Betting Forecast—5/4 Troop Leader, 3/1 Tony, 4/1 Dunmow, 6/1 St. Fechin, 10/1 any other.

3.40 — WOLVISTON HANDICAP. 1m. 7f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
240 Sir Pomm (Elsey), a, 9-1 .....Nevett
000 Contrevent (Oxtoby), a, 7-12 .....
303 Happy Thoughts (Easterby), 5, 7-10 .....Thwaites
230 Rattler (Storie), 5, 7-6 .....Parker
300 Noble Glen (Elsey), 6, 7-4 .....Evans
000 Meshra (F. Armstrong), 5, 7-3 ...Sirett
340 Nala (Elsey), 4, 7-3 .....Dearie
000 Roderick Dhu (Renton), 6, 7-3 Bullock
000 Singapore Tree (Storie), 4, 7-1 .....
300 Swanilda (M. Peacock), 4, 7-0 Dyson
000 Mineral Water (Newton), 4, 6-10 .....Leonard

Betting Forecast—7/4 Sir Pomm, 3/1 Happy Thoughts, 9/2 Singapore Tree, 6/1 Rattler, 10/1 any other.

4.5 — FAIRFIELD T.-Y.O. PLATE. 5f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
1 War Savings (Easterby), 9-3 Jamieson
Camerinthin (G. Armstrong), 8-12 ..... Sirett
0 Red Ensign (Newton), 8-12 .....Fox
Winning Mood (Elsey), 8-12 ..... Stephenson
Heavenly Sinner c. (Ray), 8-12...Colven
Dunusk (Mr. Peacock), 8-12 ...Nevett
0 Victory Roll (Murless), 8-12 ...Evans
Singing Fish (H. Peacock), 8-12 ..... J. Taylor
0 Little David (Newton), 8-9. P. Beasley
Ben Mor f. (Darby), 8-9 ..... Worrall
Pharaoh's Foot (Easterby), 8-9 Thwaites
Entice (F. Armstrong), 8-9 .....Duke
Florinda g. (H. Peacock), 8-9 ..... Brooks

Betting Forecast—6/4 agst. War Savings, 7/2 Singing Fish, 9/2 Danusk, 6/1 Ben Mór f., 8/1 Victory Roll, 10/1 any other.

4.30 — CARLTON T.-Y.-O. PLATE. 5f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
1 Iceland (Ray), 9-2 .....Colven
0 Boanda (Davey), 8-11 .....Dyson
York Dale (H. Peacock), 8-11...Gray
0 Royal Singer (Elsey), 8-11 .....Sherry
4 September Crisis (Easterby), ... Nevett
0 Excursion (Newton), 8-11 .....Fox
Orton (Newton), 8-17.....McMinn
Razzle Dazzle f. (Easterby), 8-11 .....Gunn
Keepsake f. (Easterby), 8-11 ...Gunn
0 Eastern Goddess (H. Peacock), 8-11 ..... J. Taylor
2 Tuscaloosa (F. Armstrong), 8-11 ..... P. Beasley
Roster (Elsey), 8-11 .....Nevett
C.O.D. (F. Armstrong), 8-11...Crisp
The Ciachan (G. Armstrong), 8-11 .....Sirett

Betting Forecast—Evens Tuscaloosa, 2/1 Iceland, 6/1 Roster, 8/1 September Crisis, 10/1 any other.

4.55 — YORKSHIRE PLATE. 5f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
Silver Wolf (Davey), 9-0 .....Worrall
220 St. Loe (Elsey), 9-0 .....Evans
003 Mellanthus (Easterby), 8-0 .....
0 The Flyer (Easterby), 9-0 .....Gunn
000 Open Champion (Renton), 9-0 P. Beasley
0 Reed Point (Russell), 8-11...Littlewood
0 Bold Star (M. Peacock), 8-11 .....
Malahide.—Ladies—Entries for mixed foursomes close to-morrow. Tuesday—Miss Kelly's prize. Medal final: Mrs. Goodwin (26), 73. April medal—Miss McManus.

Howth.—Ladies—Miss O'Rourke's prize: Miss G. O'Farrell (17), 18th green.

Skerries.—To-day: Club prize, bogey.

Grange.—To-day: President's Cup, qualifying round.

Corballis.—To-day: Medal, stokes; draw 2.45.

Bray.—To-day: Semi-open mixed foursomes.

Castle.—To-day: Semi-open fourball; two members may play together.

Royal Dublin.—To-day: Moncrieff medal, 36 holes, strokes; and medal, strokes.

Woodbrook—To-day: Committee prize.

Hermitage—To-day: Saturday Cup, Stableford. HolmPatrick Cup postponed.

Kilroney—To-day: Scratch Cup, presented by E. J. Foley.

Forrest—To-day: Medal, strokes.

Killiney—To-day: Members' prize, bogey. Challenge Cup draw and auction in the evening.

Dun Laoghaire—Ladies—Open fourball; Mrs. Warren (10) and Mr. P. Clinch (25), 6 up. May 5—Entries close for Associates' Cup.

Elm Park—To-day: Open fourball, bogey; draws from 10 o'c. Open mixed foursomes—C. Boden (17) and Miss P. O'Grady (19), 72.

Milltown—To-day: Semi-open fourball, bogey.

Donabate—To-morrow: Scotch foursome, mixed.

LAWN TENNIS

Grosvenor—Open for play to-day.

Templeogue—Hon. sec., P. Moriarty, 188 Lower Kimmage road; captain, F. Duane; ladies' captain, Miss Nancy McGurk. Courts open to-day.

Howth—Hon. sec., J. J. Duff, The Moorings, Howth; captain, T. Quigley. Courts open May 9, American tournament.

Mount Pleasant—Courts open to-day.

Rathgar—Courts open to-day, at 3 o'c.

Grafton—American tournament to-day at 3 o'c. Late dance, pavilion.

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TO-DAY'S SOCCER

St. James's Gate v. **Linfield.** Dalymount Park, 3.30.

Distillery v. Cork United. Belfast, 3.30.

Dublin Insurance Cup.—Commercial Union of Ireland v. Insurance Corporation 2.

G.A.A. FIXTURES

Croke Park (Hurling)—Faughs v. Young Irelands, 11.45; U.C.D. v. Roghan Ruadh, 7.0.

Crumlin—Civil Service v. Parnells, 3.30.

Parnell Park—Geraldines v. St. Margarets, 3.30.

Limerick—Limerick v. Tipperary (hurling), 3.45.

Portlaw—Laoighis v. Wexford (hurling), 3.45.

Navan—Meath v. Louth (football), 3.45. **Tullamore**—Offaly v. Westmeath (hurling), 3.45.

A Test for Big Game

CLASS will be well represented at Salisbury to-day, as last year's Derby winner Owen Tudor, and the King's classic hopes for this year, Big Game and Sun Chariot are to meet their respective engagements. Conflicting opinions have been held as to Big Game's staying powers, and the distance of the Salisbury Stakes, seven furlongs, will find it out. Canyonero had some good performances to his credit last year, and on the strength of encouraging Epsom reports, his support is advised. Selections:—

12.30, Samovar (nap); 1.0, Sun Chariot; 1.30, Wild Wave; 2.0, Canyonero; 2.30, Snow King; 3.0, Lovely Trim; 3.30, Knight's Armour. Double—Samovar and Canyonero.

12.30 — LARK HILL T.Y.O. PLATE. 5f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
Lovely Her f. (O. Bell), 8-7...S. Wragg
Lilette f. (Todd), 8-7 .....
Princess Galahad (Private), 8-7...Dillon
Magdalen (F. Darling), 8-7.....Scott
0 Port Pitaria (Pease), 8-7.....Gunn
0 Bonnie Stump (V. Hobbs), 8-7 .....
Asiatic Metal (Lawson), 8-7 ..... C. Richards
Scorch (Watts), 8-7.....E. Smith
0 King's Cross (Cottrill), 8-7.....Kirby
0 Dancing Matilda (J. Waugh), 8-7 ..... Burns
0 Bannlaw f. (F. Darling), 8-7 ..... G. Richards
3 Entangle (Cannon), 8-7.....Doyle
Buskin f. (Lawson), 8-7.....Graves
Dance Music (Kilpatrick), 8-7...Lacey
0 Indian Symphony (Donoghue), 8-7 .....P. Donoghue
House Security (Templeman), 8-7 ..... G. Richardson
Grave Misgiving (Beeby), 8-7..D. Smith
0 Samovar (Persse), 8-7.....Beary

Betting Forecast.—9/4 agst. Bannlaw f., 5/2 Samovar, 5/1 Entangle, 6/1 King's Cross, 8/1 Scorch, 10/1 Home Security, 100/8 Asiatic Metal, 100/6 any other.

1.0 — SARUM 3-Y.O. STAKES. 7f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
113 Sun Chariot (F. Darling), 9-3 ..... G. Richards
023 Feberion (Lawson), 9-3....C. Richards
331 Tazia (O. Bell), 8-12.....S. Wragg
1031 Cherry Wood (Bancroft), 8-12...Beary
410 Fichu (O. Bell), 8-7 .....
021 Sedition (F. Darling), 8-7 .....Seed
122 Daring Miss (Cannon), 8-7.....Doyle
140 Shy Belle (Persse), 8-7 .....Burns
00 Starry Sky (Donoghue), 8-2 .....Lane

Betting Forecast—Evens Sun Chariot, 3/1 agst. Feberion, 8/1 each Cherry Wood and Tazia, 10/1 Sedition, 100/8 each Fichu and Daring Miss, 100/6 any other.

1.30 — SHREWTON T.Y.O. PLATE. 5f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
1 Fleur de Lys (Cottrill), 9-0.....Kirby
Canna c. (Laye) 8-7 .....Burns
Saiopette c. (Blagrave), 8-7...Gardner
British Colombo (Donoghue), 8-7 ..... P. Donoghue
0 Glorioso g. (Watts), 8-7.....D. Richards
Venturefort (Cannon), 8-7.....Doyle
Milling (Cannon), 8-7 .....Doyle
0 Veinarde c. (Pratt), 8-7.....Foster
Silver's Secret (Kilpatrick), 8-7 Lacey
0 Port Light (Stedall), 8-7...C. Richards
Bright Penny (Templeman), 8-7 ..... Richardson
Wild Wave (Persse), 8-7 .....Beary
Yoke f. (O. Bell), 8-4.....S. Wragg
Flowerdale (F. Darling), 8-4 ..... G. Richards
0 Aylesbury Duckling f. (Beary) 8-4

Betting Forecast—7/4 agst. Fleur de Lys, 11/4 Wild Wave, 7/2 Flowerdale, 6/1 each Venturefort and Milling, 10/1 Bright Penny, 100/8 any other.

2.0 — SALISBURY 3-Y.O. STAKES. 7f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
111 Big Game (F. Darling), 9-6 G. Richards
111 Canyonero (Nightingall), 9-2.....Carey
133 Shah Rook (Lawson), 8-10.....Beary
401 Hasty Shot (Lawson), 8-10 C. Richards
003 Nuncio (O. Bell), 8-10 .....S. Wragg
0 Hurlsmont (Donoghue), 8-6 P. Donoghue
0 Fair Valley (Persse), 8-6 .....Burns

Betting Forecast—7/4 on Big Game, 7/2 agst. Canyonero, 10/1 Nuncio, 100/8 each Shah Rook and Hasty Shot, 20/1 others.

2.30 — BERKSHIRE 3-Y.O. HANDICAP. 1m.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
010 Kolo (Wood), 9-1 .....Carey
010 Roman Flight (Winter), 8-12 .....
200 Helizapoppin (Nightingall), 8-12 .....
220 Seven Barrows (Cottrill), 8-9.....Kirby
000 Sunny Trail (Templeman), 8-4 ..... G. Richards
034 Swing (Scoble), 8-3 .....Gunn
000 Noels Duke (J. Waugh), 8-1 D. Smith
004 Barravakeen (V. Smyth), 8-0...Mullins
000 Succulent (Persse), 7-11 .....Burns
205 Pentosan (Todd), 8-0 .....
034 Rovi (Bennett), 8-0 .....
000 Snow King (Bancroft), 7-10...E. Smith
000 Lovraine Cross (Donoghue), 7-9 Nicoll
000 Valiant Lady (Blagrave), 7-7 ...Doyle
000 Mathmee (Strong), 7-6 .....
030 Haddington (Kilpatrick), 7-5 .....
040 Harry England (Saxby), 7-4 .....Lane
000 Oh Johnny (Rose), 7-4 .....Robertson
000 Jay Bee (Pratt), 7-3 .....East
000 Orion (Dines), 6-12 .....Richardson
000 Bay Love (Stedall), 6-12 .....Barker

Betting Forecast—5/1 agst. Kolo, 6/1 Snow King, 7/1 Swing, 8/1 each Barravakeen and Sunny Trail, 10/1 each Harry England and Rovi, 100/8 each Haddington and Succulent, 100/7 each Pentosan and Seven Barrows, 100/6 each Roman Flight, Orion and Oh Johnny, 20/1 others.

3.0 — TRIAL PLATE. 1½m.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
401 Owen Tudor (F. Darling), 4, 9-8 ..... G. Richards
434 Top Coat (Blagrave), 5, 9-7...Gardner or
000 Royal Academy (Blagrave), 4, 8-10 ..... Gardner
430 Mazarin (R. Dawson), 4, 9-4 .....
300 Lovely Trim (Donoghue), 5, 9-3 Elliott
013 Clean Sweep (Bancroft), 4, 9-0...Beary
020 Thoroughfare (F. Darling), 4, 9-0..Seed
000 Red April (Stalbridge), 5, 8-13...Hine
04 Uncle Hero (J. Anthony), 6, 8-13.Gomez
Battle Dress (Strong), 4, 8-7 .....
203 Pentosan (Todd), 5, 7-2...C. Richards

Betting Forecast—Evens Owen Tudor, 4/1 Mazarin, 6/1 Lovely Trim, 8/1 Thoroughfare, 100/8 Pentosan, 100/7 Top Coat, Royal Academy and Clean Sweep, 20/1 others.

3.30 — WILTSHIRE HANDICAP. 5f.

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
110 Monmouth (Persse), a, 9-12.....Gomez
0 John Wellington Wells (Walwyn), a, 9-12.....A. Wragg
422 Linklater (W. Smyth), 6, 9-11.....
232 Hyland Brume (Templeman), 5, 9-8 ..... G. Richards
000 Knight's Armour (Cannon), a, 9-9 ..... C. Richards
010 Comatas (O. Bell), 5, 9-4.....S. Wragg
000 Antecedent (Cannon), a, 9-4...E. Smith
020 Chancery (Larkin), 6, 8-9.....Elliott
000 Valentine II. (F. Hartigan), a, 8-5 ..... Carey
344 Cœur des Bois (Stedall), 5, 8-4 ..... C. Richards
004 Malmsey (R. Dawson), a, 8-2.....Lane
111 Sugar Palm (F. Hartigan), a, 8-2 ..... Herbert
000 Reno Decree (Williams), 4, 7-13..Burns
100 Florentia (Sneyd), 4, 7-11...D. Smith
100 Clementi (Saxby), 5, 7-9.....Graves
000 Tornado (Wood), 3, 7-8.....
020 Helizapoppin (Nightingall), 4, 7-8 ..... Collinge
140 Convoy (Beary), 3, 7-7.....
100 Lancewood (Private), 5, 7-5..Richardson
403 Old Folk (J. Hall), a, 7-2.....Tyson
003 Salarrhoden (East), 6, 6-13.....East
000 Silly Symphony (Donoghue), 4, 6-12 ..... Nicoll
404 Bygone (Bancroft), a, 6-10...Calladine
000 Marching Kit (Kilpatrick), 4, 6-10 ..... McGow
000 Maltima (May), 3, 6-10.....

Betting Forecast—11/2 Hyland Brume, 8/1 Linklater and Comatas, 10/1 Knight's Armour, Chancery and Tornado, 100/8 Monmouth, Maimsey and Antecedent, 100/7 Florentia and Cœur des Bois, 100/6 Lancewood and Valentino II., 20/1 others.

CRICKET LEAGUE STARTS TO-DAY

The Leinster Senior League commences to-day, and after the recent dry spell the pitches should be in very good condition and favourable for the batsmen. The Cup and League champions, Leinster, have a severe task in front of them at Rathmines, when they face Merrion. The clubs met also in their opening fixture last season, and Leinster came very close to defeat. This time they probably will need all their batting strength and fighting spirit, as their bowling, on paper at any rate, is very weak. The sheet-anchor of last season, P. Boland, will make only infrequent appearances, and the loss of their fast bowler, as well as a useful attacker in P. B. Murphy, will be severely felt. R. S. Morrison, an all-rounder, formerly with Phœnix, who has been out of the game for three years, will supply some pace in the bowling, but it looks as if P. C. Mannion and P. McCarroll will have a lot of work to do. Merrion will have very much the same side as usual, and will again make a determined bid for League honours. A win for them to-day would give them a valuable start.

On paper the most powerful side in Dublin would appear to be Trinity, who have nearly all last year's men available again, and have, in addition, J. W. Hill and W. S. Jameson. Hill, who has done magnificent work for Clontarf for several years, is one of the most consistent slow right-hand bowlers in the country and ought to provide the necessary contrast to R. Barnes and W. McClelland. Jameson was one of last season's best schools' batsmen, and the team looks to be extremely strong, although last year's wicket-keeper and consistent scorer, L. C. Jacobson, will be missed. Clontarf have suffered considerably in their personnel. The loss of Hill alone would have been sufficiently serious, but R. Furley, who shared the attack with Hill, has also gone, so it does not look as if Clontarf will be very the stronger teams to the extent they did last season.

As neither Y.M.C.A. nor Civil Service appear to have acquired any notable additions to their batting strength, they are not likely to be on the winning end any more frequently than usual. It will, therefore, be surprising if Pembroke lose to Y.M.C.A. or Phœnix go down to Civil Service.

To-day's Senior League fixtures are:—Leinster v. Merrion, Rathmines; Dublin University v. Clontarf, College Park; Pembroke v. Y.M.C.A., Sydney parade; Civil Service v. Phœnix, Phœnix Park.

TEAMS

Dublin University—W. J. Moynan (capt.), L. H. Shrago, W. H. McClelland, J. V. Luce, S. Barnes, E. A. Carry, S. Fleming, A. B. Morton, J. W. Hill, W. S. Jameson, N. B. Hood.

Leinster—N. H. Lambert (capt.), M. D. Burke, P. Neville, P. McCarroll, C. R. Cuffe, J. K. Lang, J. R. Gill, F. C. Mannion, R. S. Morrison, S. E. Law, J. M. Keary.

Phœnix—D. R. Pigot, P. H. Seale, F. M. Quinn, J. C. Boucher (capt.), P. Quinn, K. Quinn, R. Fox, T. Kennedy, B. Y. Fox, T. A. Doyle, J. A. Byrne.

Y.M.C.A.—A. Beatty, H. Beatty, G. Boate, V. Dobson, J. Dobson,

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

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BIRTHS.

AYLWARD—April 24, 1942, at Miss Overend's Nursing Home, 29 Upper Mount street to Edith, wife of B. H. Aylward "Sunning Hill," Glenageary, a daughter (Heather).

CAIRD—April 25, 1942, at St. Brendan's Private Nursing Home, to Pansy (*née* Lamb), wife of George Norman Caird, 103 Morehampton road, a daughter (Elizabeth Jean).

CLARKE—April 10, 1942, at Portobello House, to Lily, wife of J. H. Clarke, "Four Winds," Tramore, a son.

DOYLE—April 18, 1942, at Leinster Nursing Home, to Nell, wife of Lewis Doyle, M.R.C.V.S., Greenmount, Navan, a daughter (Patricia Madeleine).

FOLEY—April 24, 1942, at Provincial Bank House, Collooney, Co. Sligo, to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Foley, a son (Raymond Cyril Mary).

HANNAGEN—April 14, 1942, at the Rotunda Hospital, Dublin, to Joyce, wife of Raymond Hannagen, 257 Clontarf road, Dublin, a daughter.

HOLYOAKE—April 25, 1942, at the Harcourt Nursing Home, to Dorothy, wife of George C. Holyoake, a daughter.

KEOGH—April 25, 1942, at Leinster Private Nursing Home, to Moya, wife of Harry Keogh, Greenane, Temple road, a daughter.

McCONNELL—April 28, 1942, at Hatch street Nursing Home, to Lois (*née* Smiley), wife of Mr. A. F. McConnell, a daughter.

MEW—April 27, 1942, at 15 Lower Hatch street, Dublin, to Maureen, wife of Commandant R. G. Mew, M.A., B.A.I., of Shirley, Chapelizod, Dublin, a daughter.

MULCAHY—April 15, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Mulcahy, Provincial Bank House, Dingle, a daughter (Berenice).

SWEETMAN—April 28, 1942, at 25 Lower Leeson street to Una, wife of Edmund Sweetman, a son.

MARRIAGES.

BUCKMASTER and ROCHE—April 22, 1942, at St. Michael's, Limerick, by Rev. Father Carroll, Adm., with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing, John George, second son of the late Dr. and Mrs. Buckmaster, Aghada, Co. Cork, to Dorothy, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Roche, Upper William street, Limerick.

JACKSON and KNAGGS—April 15, 1942, at Emlaghfad Parish Church, Ballymote, by the Rev. I. H. McCombe, B.D., William Lee, second son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jackson, The Rock, Bromahair, to Violet Helena, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Kane, Ballymote.

JOHNSON and KNAGGS—April 4, 1942, at St. Victor's Church, Dublin, by Rev. T. Johnstone, Arthur Ernest, youngest son of Thomas and the late Mrs. Johnson, "Runnymede," S.C. road, Kilmainham, and Violet Marjory, younger daughter of the late George and of Mrs. Knaggs, 9 Merton Villas, S.C. road, Dublin.

DEATHS.

de CAEN—December 11, 1941, at Jersey, Ada Ballein de Caen, aged 93.

EDGE—April 30, 1942, at Royal City of Dublin Hospital, Baggot street, John Dallas Edge, Easton House, Delgany. Funeral from the hospital, 12.30 p.m. to-morrow (Sunday) to Rathdrum, Co. Wicklow, arriving 2.30 p.m.

HIFFERNAN—April 30, 1942, at the residence of her son-in-law, 56 Shandon Park, Belfast, Dorcas Eld, widow of Thomas Eld Hiffernan, Dunbarry, Buttevant, Co. Cork.

PORTER—May 1, 1942, suddenly, John William, son of Joseph and Annie Porter, Poles House, Kilmainham Wood.

YOUNG—May 1, 1942, suddenly, Isaac William, dearly-beloved husband of Alice Young, 18 Anglesea road, Dublin, late Stoke-on-Trent. Funeral strictly private. R.I.P.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found in Page 4.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mrs. Thrift and family wish to return their warm thanks to their many kind friends who expressed their sympathy with them in their recent sorrow. They trust they will understand that individual acknowledgment, in so far as that is possible, must be delayed.

IN MEMORIAM.

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HOUSEKEEPER, disengaged, good cook, capable, trustworthy, all duties.—R O 56, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.
HOUSEMAN desires change, all duties; suit bachelor. Box G 1268. 30 A
HOTEL Manageress or Housekeeper; excellent references. Box G 1453. 1 A
LADY, I.C., Housekeeper to gentleman; good cook; highest personal references; disengaged. Box G 1215.
LADY (settled), excellent Cook, Carver, economical, wants position, nursing home, institution, city. Box "Z 4988, Lady."
LADY wishes to recommend reliable person (Catholic) as Mother's Help. Box G 1356. 30 F
LADY, C. of I., wishes to go as Companion Help; country. Box G 1332.
MARRIED Couple, no family, desires position Caretakers, ages 38 and 40; man pension; duties can be suited; highest references. Box "Z 4980, Couple."
RELIABLE Man seeks plain Gardening, Yard, light Farm Work. Box G 1436.
STEADY Man wishes to obtain position as Bank Porter or similar occupation; has 19 years' experience; good references. Box "Z 4969, Porter." 30 A
SHANKILL—Lady wants employment, mind children or take out invalid. Box G 1321. 29 F
SMART young Chef seeks post; good, all round experience; reliable. Box G 1419. 30 F
SEWING Woman (Catholic), housekeeping experience; hotel, school or institution. Box G 1426.
WAITRESS, experienced; good references. Box G 1436.
YOUNG lady wishes training in office work; knowledge of shorthand and typewriting; legal preferred. Box G 1331.
YOUNG Lady, Protestant, desires post, Comforting Nurse; good experience, nursing and housekeeping; excellent references. Box "Z 4974, Companion."

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ALL Professional and University Preliminaries. Oral and Correspondence. —Mountjoy's College, Garda(Cadet). T
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EXPERIENCED Mistress desires post; music and Junior Form subjects; excellent examination results. Apply Box 464, Irish Times Branch Office, Grafton street.
FRENCH Lessons, Grinds, by native teacher. —Madame Oguey-Clarke, 11 Harcourt terrace.
GOOD Governess desires Morning Engagement; clever teacher, highest recommendations, all subjects. Box G 1345. 30 A
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WANTED, R.C. GOVERNESS to teach two girls, ages 5 and 7; first lessons; Clonskeagh district; three hours five mornings a week; preliminary Irish; state age and wages, etc. Box G 1435. 29 F
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EDUCATED Lady, 27 years, desires post, Nurse or Companion; some hospital training. Box G 1337.
FOR Sale, Dental Pump Chair, also Dental Stand; what offers? Box G 1487.
LADY recommends capable Protestant Woman as Nurse-Attendant or Cook General, daily, in Glenageary, Kingstown, Sandycove.—G 1296. Irish Times Branch Office, Dun Laoghaire.
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NURSE Attendant disengaged; any salary; city, suburbs; elderly, useful, companionable; needlewoman; go interview. R O 56, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 30 F
SKIN Disease, Scurvy, Eczema, Itchy Rash spreads if neglected. "Kurit" Cures. Numerous testimonials; 2/9, 5/9.—Keane's Drug Store, Kilkenny.
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OPTICAL, JEWELS, WATCHES.
AXPEL Spectacles Preserve the Sight—A. Dixon and Hempenstall, Sight Testing Rooms, 111 Grafton street, Lower. Consultations Daily, 9 to 6. 29 X
DUBLIN Smelting Company, 21 Wellington quay, Dublin, Buy Old Gold, Jewellery and Dental Gold, at 168/- per ounce; Silver wanted, any condition. Articles posted returned immediately if offer is unacceptable. T
GOLD Articles, also Diamond Set Jewellery, Wanted at once; highest prices paid; post parcels attended to immediately.—Jameson and Co., Ltd., 40 Henry street, Dublin. T
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YOUR Oculist's Prescription requires expert fitting. Entrust it to Williams, Optician (Messrs. Chancellor's Successor), 10 Lower Abbey street. 'Phone 44583.

HORSES, CATTLE, STOCK.
AUCTION Sale at Gelt, Lower Mount street, Dublin, on Wednesday next, 6th May—Working and Driving Horses, Cobs and Ponies; Working and Driving Horses, Traps, Floats, Vans, Lorries, etc.; numerous inquiries for the right article. Good prices assured. Particulars of Entries should be sent at once to Gelt, 50 Lower Mount st., Dublin (Phone 61251). 1 A
A PURE bred Jersey Cow for Sale, time up May 7th, and Jersey Shorthorn Stripper; also Yearling Heifer.—Ballywaltrim Grove, Bray. 30 F
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MACKIE Burns and Co., Prussia street, Dublin—Auction, Wednesday next, 6th May, commencing 1 o'clock. Horses, Cobs, Turnouts, Lorries, Driving and Working Harness. Wanted, Vehicles, all classes. Entries invited.
WANTED, a Brougham Horse, middle aged and very quiet. Box "Z 4808, Horse." 27 F

DOMESTICS WANTED.
A COOK GENERAL WANTED (not over 40), doctor's home, Fitzwilliam place; small family; must be well recommended; wages £36—£39. Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot Street Bridge.
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FARMER'S daughter (Protestant) REQUIRED to train as Nurse to two small children. Box "Z 4971, Farmer's Daughter." 30 F
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LADY anxious to find young, domesticated GENTLEWOMAN to help her with work of small house in country, in Anglesey; good home; live with family; £52 yearly. Will applicants please send fullest particulars? Box "Z 4946, Gentlewoman." 30
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WANTED, capable, young GENERAL, good cook; small family; good wages to suitable girl. Apply Mrs. Walker, Vallima, Bray, Co. Dublin. 30 F
WANTED, COOK-GENL. and HOUSE PARLOURMAID, 3 adults, housekeeper kept, for England. Apply Useful People, 36 Dame street.
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WANTED, young, expd., Protestant NURSE, child three, infant shortly. Box G 1212. 1 A
WANTED, Fitzwilliam place, CHARWOMAN, scrubbing, laundry; 3/- daily. Box G 1341.
YOUNG Protestant COOK-GENL., Dublin suburbs; Age; good refr. essential; kitchen-maid with cooking experience considered.—Girls' Friendly Registry, 20 Upr. Merrion st.
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AN experienced General, young; good cook; long references; adults; Kingstown line, Box G 1465, Irish Times Branch Office, Dun Laoghaire.
A YOUNG Cook General, Rathmines or Rathgar. Box G 1434. 1 A
A YOUNG General Help. Box G 1428. 1 A
A GENTLEMAN highly recommends excellent Housekeeper, good cook, trustworthy. Apply 26 Highfield road, Dublin. 1 A
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GENERAL Maid, young; good references. Box G 1430.
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RESPECTABLE country Girl wishes situation, small family; light charge.—B. Savage, 9 Middle Mountjoy street, Dublin.
SETTLED country girl; exp'd., plain cook; well recommended. Box G 1344.
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YOUNG Cook General; good references. Box G 1302.
YOUNG Housemaid, experienced; good references. Box G 1429.
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JAMES STEPHENSON,
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LYNN BARI, JOHN SUTTON in
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BILLY CONN and JEAN PARKER,
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Ronald Colman, Madeleine Carroll, in
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GEORGE FORMBY in
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ROYAL Show at 4 o'c., 7.30. Film at 2.10, 5.40, 9 o'c.
ANN SHERIDAN, JACK OAKIE in
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Also 2nd Edition, "IT'S IN THE BAG."
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JOHN BARRYMORE, LUPE VELEZ, KAY KAYSER AND HIS BAND in
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Also "IT'S IN THE BAG," featuring
Peggy Eddie Mike Harry
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Hedy LAMARR, Robert YOUNG, Ruth HUSSEY,
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ALBAN CHAMBERS AT THE ORGAN.
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To-day—FRANCHOT TONE, Walter Brennan, Carol Bruse, in "THIS WOMAN IS MINE."
Sunday:
Johnnie Davis, in "MR. CHUMPS."
Charles Starrett, in "NORTH OF THE YUKON."
Monday:
IRENE DUNNE, ROBERT MONTGOMERY, in "UNFINISHED BUSINESS."

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BETTE DAVIS, in
"THE GREAT LIE."
SUNDAY:
"DOWN IN SAN DIEGO."
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A BROADCAST APPEAL
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will be made by Mr. Frank A. Lowe, P.C., at 9.55 p.m. TO-MORROW (Sunday), 3rd May. PLEASE LISTEN IN AND HELP US.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NURSERY RESCUE AND PROTESTANT CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY will be held in DAWSON HALL, 42 DAWSON STREET, on MONDAY, 4th MAY, 1942, at 3 p.m. Chairman—The Bishop of Ossory. Speakers—The Hon. Mrs. Archer and Dr. Ella Webb, O.B.E.

THE DISTILLERS COMPANY (LIMITED).
NOTICE is hereby given that the Mortgage Debenture Stock and Debenture Stock Registers of this Company will be closed from this date until the 15th inst., inclusive, during which period no Transfers will be recorded.
L. A. REGOOD, Secretary.
12 Torphichen Street, EDINBURGH.
2nd May, 1942.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

EMERGENCY POWERS (NO. 174) ORDER, 1942.
An Order entitled "Emergency Powers (No. 174) Order, 1942," amending the Unemployment Assistance Acts, 1933 to 1940, was made by the Government on the 1st May, 1942.
The Order will be published in due course, and copies may be obtained from the Government Publications Sale Office, 3/4 College street, Dublin, or through any Bookseller.
Department of Industry and Commerce.
1st May, 1942.
32/N 3135. W.H.Co.

LEGAL NOTICES.

Pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Eire, made in a suit
JOSEPH EVERARD DUNLOP, Plaintiff.
THOMAS FERGUSON, Defendant.
All persons claiming to be Incumbrancers affecting the Defendant's interest in the lands of Ballykea, situate in the Barony of Balrothery East, and County of Dublin, containing 45 acres and 7 perches or thereabouts, and held by the Defendant subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1923, are to enter their claims at the Central Office of the High Court of Justice (Room 110), Four Courts, Dublin, on or before the 6th day of June, 1942, and to prove the same, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every such incumbrancer holding any security is to produce the same at the Examiner's Office of the said Court on the 10th day of June, 1942, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.
Dated the 28th day of April, 1942.
THOMAS F. B. ADDISON, Examiner.
BENNETT THOMPSON and EDWARDS, Solicitors for Plaintiff, 12 Molesworth Street, Dublin.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
MICHAEL FARNAN, late of 11 Donore avenue, South Circular road, Dublin, Grocer and Spirit Merchant, Deceased.
All persons claiming to be Creditors of the above-named Deceased should furnish particulars of their claims immediately to
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CHURCH NOTICES.

B.C.M.S.
(THE BIBLE CHURCHMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY).
THURSDAY NEXT, MAY 7th.
4.30 p.m.—BUSINESS MEETING, The Dawson Hall, 42 Dawson street.
5. 0 p.m.—GENERAL MEETING. The Dawson Hall, 42 Dawson street.
Chairman—MR. W. BOULTON CONYNGHAM.
REV. R. S. MEADOWS (Burma).

PARISH OF CHRIST CHURCH, LESSON PARK. SUNDAYS.
CHRIST CHURCH:
7.45 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11. 0 a.m.—Morning Prayer.
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Limerick Man Fined for Net Tilling.—At Limerick, before Mr. J. M. Flood, James McGarry, 13 Thomas street, Limerick, was fined £7 when prosecuted for breach of the tillage regulations.

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COSTUME BALL

A successful costume ball was held last night at the Metropole Ballroom, under the auspices of the Dublin Shakespeare Society. The Earl and Countess of Longford judged the costumes, and the attendance included members of the Longford Players.
The Committee were:—Mrs. J. J. Hogan (President of Dance Committee), Professor J. J. Hogan (President of Society), Dr. H. W. Mason, Dr. Fitzroy Pyle, Miss Ria Little (Secretary), Mrs. McSwiggan, Mrs. Fitzsimons, Mrs. Weingreen, Mr. M. Coffey, Dr. L. F. Delany, the Misses P. Norman, J. Golden, K. Golden, P. Murphy, P. Burke, F. Burke, J. Hogan, S. O'Reilly, Miss Little, M. Williams, M. Kiely, R. Seymour, and Messrs. W. G. Mulvin, W. Warren, and D. O'Shea.

Irish Times

SATURDAY, MAY 2, 1942.

The Salzburg Talks

Once again the German and Italian dictators have met in solemn conclave, this time not on the Brenner Pass, but in Salzburg, that wonderful old Austrian town which is associated for ever in the minds of civilised people with the name of Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart. Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini spent two days—Wednesday and Thursday—in Salzburg. The German leader was accompanied by Herr von Ribbentrop, his Foreign Minister, and Field Marshal von Keitel, Chief of the German General Staff. Signor Mussolini's principal adjutant was Colonel-General Count Cavallero, Chief of Staff of the Italian Army. There was no representative of Japan at this fateful meeting of the "Axis" chiefs. The official bulletin vouchsafes little news. There was "complete accord of views" between Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini; otherwise the outside world is left entirely in the dark. According to the *Essener National Zeitung*, which is controlled by Field-Marshal Goering, the "Axis" in the spring will be attacking with all the available means in its power. Reports from Rome suggest that Europe is on the threshold of "great political and military events"; and there can be no doubt that the Salzburg meeting was a diplomatic event of primary importance. Reports from "Axis" sources declare that three main factors were discussed by Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini. One was the favourable position of the "Axis" Powers in the Mediterranean, occasioned by the failure of General Auchinleck's offensive against Marshal Rommel in Libya, and the continuous German and Italian air raids on Great Britain's stronghold at Malta. The second was the alleged failure of the Russian winter offensive against the Germans, and the third the overwhelming successes of the Japanese forces in the Pacific and the Far East.

Hitherto a meeting between Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini invariably has preceded a big offensive by the "Axis" Powers. It is more than possible that the Salzburg meeting may foreshadow great events. On the other hand, reports from neutral countries indicate that the world now must abandon all hopes of peace during the next few months; that the rumours of Italian peace "feelers" are unfounded; that there is no foundation for the suggestion that there is a political crisis in Italy, and, finally, that the war must go on. Speaking in London yesterday, Mr. Winant, the United States Ambassador to the United Kingdom, made it quite clear that the American people were preparing for a long war. Whatever may be the secret of the Salzburg meeting, it is obvious that Europe is about to undergo an ordeal which will be unparalleled in human history. The war has been in progress now for two years and eight months. Already, it has made fantastic demands on the economic resources of all the belligerents—particularly on those of the British and the Germans—and it is quite certain that both sides will do everything in their power to force a military decision before the end of the present year. The prospect of another winter of war is so appalling that it cannot be contemplated by anybody—belligerent or neutral—without dismay. So far, by the mercy of Providence, this little country, on the fringe of Europe, has been kept outside the maelstrom of war, and even our people have suffered severely. What must be the plight of those peoples who have been involved directly in the struggle? During the next few months—possibly, even within the next few weeks—there will be a military offensive in Europe that will shake the foundations of civilisation. We may be sure that, while Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini have been laying their plans at Salzburg, the British and the Americans have not been exactly idle. The stage is set for the greatest military conflict of all time; and this time it will be a war *à outrance*.

Banking and Planning

One profoundly important point of agreement was revealed during this week's parliamentary discussion of the Central Bank Bill. When Mr. de Valera declared that there was only one means by which bankers' and other external investments could be transferred to domestic securities, he commanded the assent of all parties. That means, he said, lay in increases of twenty-six county imports. In itself, recognition of this fact marks a new and welcome outlook on trade and financial relationships. Failure to recognise that fundamental and unchangeable principle of international exchanges lay at the root of the years of economic chaos into which the Treaty of Versailles plunged the world of trade and commerce. Faced by the inevitable consequences of such blindness to economic realities, wizards of international finance had resort to many ingenious expedients, all of which merely served to postpone the day on which statesmen discovered that economic health and social security lay, not in the manipulation of money markets, but in the freedom of international exchanges of goods and services. If one recalls the catalogue of blunders which were perpetrated, or participated in, by economists and politicians of international repute, it cannot be a matter for surprise that similar economic heresies were allowed to influence the policies and programmes of those on whose shoulders fell the control of twenty-six county economic organisation. The cause for wonder is rather that defiance of economic principles has wrought so little irreparable mischief. As the most recent and authoritative piece of evidence that the lessons of experience have been taken to heart by our political leaders, we commend this week's utterances of Government and Opposition spokesmen to the attention of every thoughtful reader. Especially, however, we would direct attention to the distinction which Mr. de Valera made between what economists define as "consumable" and "capital" imports. In stressing that distinction, the Taoiseach went far to indicate the Government's present outlook; and we propose to show that his line of thought furnishes a powerful reinforcement of the arguments that this newspaper has advanced in support of the prosecution of a national economic survey and the production of a national development plan.

Let us try to present the case in simple terms. Under the heading of "consumable" imports there are, let us say, such things as tea, oranges, tobacco and other domestic needs which must continue to be imported. At the other extreme are such "capital" imports as electrical machinery, various descriptions of building materials and manufacturing equipment which cannot be produced at home. To plan for the import and distribution of such consumable goods is relatively simple; but quite different considerations arise when it becomes necessary to lay plans for the purchase and use of the "capital"—or reproductive—imports to which Mr. de Valera looks for the repatriation of excesses of externally invested capital. Here arises the need for patient and thoroughgoing research, for long and wide views, and for expert guidance in the study of highly technical problems. As examples of the variety and complexity of such problems we need only mention transport and electrical development in relation to agriculture; the distribution of industries as they may affect movements of rural and town populations; primary and technical education in relation to employment, and the many factors which enter into the development of seaside resorts as they may affect prospects of tourist development. Such main issues present questions of high policy on which ultimate decisions must remain with the Government and the Legislature; but neither Ministers nor legislators can form balanced judgments until they can command the results of scientific and synthetic studies of facts, tendencies and potentialities. To produce such foundations the British Government has constituted a Ministry of Works and Planning, and the Government of Northern Ireland is about to proceed with a comprehensive survey of six-county conditions. Meanwhile Professor Abercrombie and his colleagues—having discovered the limitations of the Town and Regional Planning Acts as they affect the future development of Dublin—have declared their opinion that sound development calls for the constitution of a national planning authority. Thus the financial case stated by Mr. de Valera, the conclusions of planning experts, and the example set by neighbouring Governments all point in the same direction. Such are but some of the grounds on which this newspaper has founded repeated pleas for the constitution of a Ministry of Planning Works.

MR. and Mrs. Otway Freeman, who spent the week at Calverstown House, Kilcullen, Co. Kildare, have returned to Belfast.

Col. R. R. Grubb has arrived in Dublin from Castle Grace, Co. Tipperary.

Major and Mrs. Horn, who have arrived from Lurgan, are staying in Dublin at present.

The Archbishop of Dublin and Mrs. Barton are opening their garden to-day at the Palace, Shrewsbury road, Dublin.

Mrs. Derek Morley is at present in Ireland.

M. Simons had a cocktail party in Dublin yesterday.

Miss Deirdre Grattan Bellew is now in Dublin.

The marriage of Reginald Cecil Whiteside, 2 Mayfield road, Terenure, Dublin, and Adelaide Edith Hamilton, Ashgrove House, Collooney, Co. Sligo, will take place quietly at Zion Church, Rathgar, on Wednesday, 3rd June.

The marriage arranged between Edward Thomas Smyth and Evelyn Florence Owens will take place quietly at the end of May.

Elizabeth Arden's Assistant will be in attendance at Switzers, Grafton street, all next week and the week after. Treatments and Consultations by appointment. 'Phone 76821.

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The annual report of the Mission to the Adult Deaf and Dumb of Eire, read at the annual meeting yesterday in the Gregg Hall, Dublin, recorded a successful year's work. The deaf scattered over the country districts had been visited at regular intervals, and the attendance at the Sunday Service and weekly Bible class had been well maintained. The Mission owed a deep debt of gratitude to collectors and supporters for their work.

The Rev. N. D. Emerson, M.A., presided and the adoption of the report was proposed by the Rev. M. L. Ferrar, M.A., and seconded by the Rev T. McNutt, B.A.

IRISH WILLS

Mr. John Alfred McAuley, D.L., of Moyleen, Deramore Park, South Belfast, and 12 Arthur street, Belfast, who died on 16th January last, left £45,454.

Dame Florence Caroline Blunden, of Lane Bank, Poulner, Ringwood, Hants, who died on January 10th last, widow of Sir William Blunden, of Castle Blunden, Kilkenny, left £4,704.

Patrick O'Neill, Danestown, Balrath, Co. Meath, died 22nd October, 1941—£4,460.

Joseph Patrick Murphy, Henry street, Newbridge, Co. Kildare (merchant), died 25th December, 1941—£23,256.

William Ashford Daish, 3 Ardeevin terrace, Dalkey, died 25th December, 1941—£2,804.

Francis Spring Walker (retired lieutenant-colonel), Woodquest, Croanhaven, Co. Cork, died 24th June, 1941—£3,954.

CHURCH OF IRELAND GENERAL SYNOD

FROM OUR CHURCH OF IRELAND CORRESPONDENT.

THE General Synod will meet on Tuesday next, at 12 noon, to hear the President's address, and immediately afterwards will begin the consideration of new legislation and of annual reports. The programme of the week includes, apart from formal meetings of the Synod, many conferences and meetings in connection with the great missionary and other Church societies. Among the latter may be mentioned the clerical meetings to be held at 9 a.m. each morning, from Tuesday to Thursday, in the Graduates' Memorial Buildings, Trinity College. The clergy are invited to these meetings, before each of which there will be a celebration of Holy Communion in the College Chapel.

Programme

The programme of the Synod itself includes the introduction of a number of bills, some of which, presumably, are concerned with matters of routine—*e.g.*, the bill to amend the Act establishing the Augmentation of Widows' Annuities Fund; but three bills all dealing, in general or in particular, with future episcopal elections, will arouse general interest in the whole Church of Ireland.

Missionary News

It will be of general interest to note that a cable was received recently from Bishop Sargent, bishop in Fukien, reporting that all in Fukien are well. There will be a meeting of Dublin University Fukien supporters in Mr. Gwynn's rooms, 40 Trinity College, on Wednesday next, at 4.30 p.m., when, no doubt, detailed information, so far as it is available, will be given about conditions in Fukien.

The speakers at the annual meeting of S.P.G., on Thursday next, will be the Bishop of Kingston-on-Thames and Canon E. W. C. Hayes. The meeting will begin at 7.30 p.m., and the Archbishop of Armagh will preside.

New Appointments

The Rev. W. Rutherford, Curate-in-charge of Timahoe, has been nominated to the Incumbency of Fethard, County Wexford. The Rev. R. E. Dennis has been appointed to the Incumbency of Killylea, Diocese of Armagh.

The Leighlin Choral Festival will be held on Thursday, June 4, at 4 p.m., in St. Laserian's Cathedral, Leighlin.

ON THE WIRELESS

Times given are Summer Time. Where Double Summer Time is in force add one hour.

TO-DAY

IRISH PROGRAMME

6—To-day's Historical Picture. 6.5—An Ghluin Og: Micheal O Maolain. 6.25—Ceol: Tomas Roseingrave (amhrain), Seamus Og Mac Aoaghusa (pib). 6.40—Sports Results, Official Announcements. 6.45—News. 7.5—Ballet Music. 7.35—Vocal Duets: Mabel Stevenson (soprano) and Robert McCullagh (tenor). 7.55—"Let's Talk Law." 8.15—Claiseadal na h-Ollagoile, Gaillimh. faoi stiuradh Mhaire Ni Scolaidhe. 8.45—"Gradh Casmhar" le Moliere. Leagan Gaedhealach le Liam O Briain, 'a leiriu ag Taidhbhdhearc na Gaillimhe. 9.15—Saturday Night Music: Irish Radio Orchestra (conductor, Dr. V. O'Brien). 10—Nuacht. 10.10—News in English. 10.30—Light Music from the Continent.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

6.0—News. 6.15 — Records. 6.30—Exercises. 6.50—Tune for To-day. 6.55—"Lift Up Your Hearts!" 7.0—News. 7.15—Kitchen Front. 7.20—Show Souvenirs. 8.0—Organ. 8.30—Light Orchestra. 9.15—Service. 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0—Orchestra: 10.45—Madrigals. 11.0—Orchestra. 11.20—"Workers' Playtime." 12.0—News. 12.15—"Backs to the Land." 12.30—Bach-Schubert-Brahms. 1.0—Songs. 1.30—Orchestra. 2.30—Geraldo. 3.15—In Praise of May. 3.30—Radio Contest. 4.0—News in Welsh. 4.5—Talk in Welsh. 4.20—Children's Hour. 5.0—News. 5.30—Orchestra. 6.0—"In Town To-night." 6.30—News in Norwegian. 6.45—The Week in Westminster. 7.0—"Escape to Freedom." 7.15—"Saturday Bandstand." 7.45—"Mr. Muddlecombe at Home." 8.0—News. 8.20—American Commentary. 8.35 — Lydia Lopokova. 9.15—Compline. 9.30—"The Long Road to Umbria." 10.0—Geraldo. 10.35—Poems. 10.45—Organ. 11.0—News.

FORCES PROGRAMME

5.30—"Reveille!" 6.0—News. 6.15—Records. 7.0—News. 7.15—Show Souvenirs. 8.0—Organ. 8.30—Home. 9.15—Piano. 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0—Organ. 10.15—"Music Paints the Scene." 10.45—

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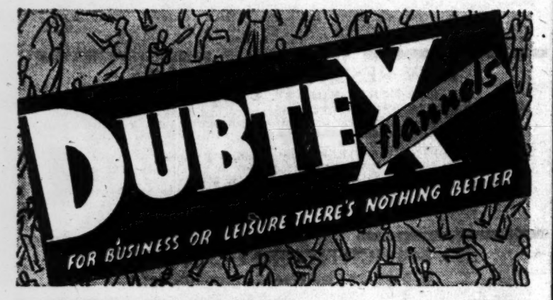

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"I will play the swan,
And die in music."
Othello, Act 5, Sc. 2.

"THE swan is a most noble bird! It has the ancient quality of fidelity, for when the swan's mate dies he never takes another! D'ye know that now; he never takes another!"

Stephen, the foreman in Cunningham's, said this, in his rapid, decided way, as he wrapped up the sandwiches for John Williamson.

"And you're going to the river again to-morrow," he added.

"Yes, I am going that way," said John Williamson, quietly.

"Ah, we Midland men, whatever they may say of us; we know the nice things all the same, the lovely, lasting things.

"We, Midland men! John Williamson did not resent the familiarity. One didn't mind that sort of thing any more. Besides, it didn't call for any kind of effort to keep on a level footing with Stephen.

"You mean our old river now in June?" he said.

"Or always. I was thinking of the swans. They're there for ever. Ah, yes, the river and the swans. I wish you luck for your jaunt to-morrow, sir; and a fine day above all."

John Williamson's mood was pensive as he walked away from Cunningham's. He thought of the line from Tennyson: "And after many a summer dies the swan."

"Dies the swan. . .?" Yes, maybe that was it—things ending? The one who should have been his mate, the lovely Amy Vandeleur, was dead. Not dead, perhaps, as people think of one who has gone away from this world. But for one another she had died. It was his joy and sorrow to be remembering always their days together long ago.

"Here lies a most beautiful lady,
Light of step and heart was she;
I think she was the most beautiful lady
That ever was in the west country."

The lines, as they came back, did not bring him comfort as of old. The stray words of Stephen in Cunningham's seemed to sail over them in his mind, to sail on, and to take the graceful shapes of swans as they went. "The ancient quality of fidelity . . . when the swan's mate dies?" Why was he so affected now by these casual words? To-morrow he would be seeing the river, the well-remembered trees, the little houses by the bank; he would be hearing the music of the water as it spilled over gleaming weirs. But why was he going there again, so soon; what new and strange thing was drawing him?

He had been content for so long to go there once in every summer, a sentimental journey that always seemed to bring him back at least a little way to Amy Vandeleur. The words of Stephen could be taken as having in them some touch of admonishment that disturbed him: "He never takes another! D'ye know that now; he never takes another?" They stayed with him as he moped on towards his lonely flat in Victoria Crescent. He felt a little fallen from himself, but, outwardly, he knew he was still the same John Williamson, one withdrawn from his fellows, a man with a secret, living another life apart and alone. No woman walked with him, for Amy Vandeleur was dead. He liked to think that there was that noble aspect of his mind, a remote, an almost literary, sorrow.

He was excited, he felt that some different side of himself must, unaccountably, have come to life, as he went next morning the forty miles by 'bus to see his own countryside once more. Yes, indeed, he would try to open his heart full-wide to its influences to-day, for he truly loved this place from which he had sprung. How it had caught him to itself last Sunday? His eye swept over it in affection as the 'bus sped ever nearer to his stopping-place; its lanes, its lakes, its little nests of kindly fields; his eye caught glittering water here and there; he was very near the river now. . . "The river and the swans, the lovely, lasting things?"

He was on the bank at last, seeing the sailing couples moving proudly over the gently-flowing water. There seemed to be so many of them to-day? Their movement held him until, suddenly, he began to feel that he was seeing them strangely. He was seeing, in a way that had not struck him before, a similarity in these pairs of swans; why, they seemed the very same to him, each pair. And then he realised that, for the first time in this place, he was not remembering Amy Vandeleur!

Yet why forgetfulness of her on this summer day? Last Sunday she had been with him, or at least he could feel that he had been going forward to meet her almost all the time. Almost? There had been that interruption of his mood when he had met the pretty country girl. How wonderful, he had been thinking ever since, the happy glance which then had met his eyes? It had been an awfully queer kind of experience for him, for she had looked at him as if there might still be something about him. . . . It made him feel somehow that, after all, he must not look so terribly like a man well past middle age. He had asked her some question about the number of swans on the river, and she had answered most pleasantly, looking sincerely into his face as she spoke to him.

He had enjoyed that moment with the girl. It had stood for some kind of release from the prison of himself—some putting away for a little while of his sad preoccupation with the long ago. He remembered how he had laughed when she said that walking all by oneself seemed a funny way of spending a fine Sunday. Yes, the whole time, quite, he felt he had talked to her most successfully. His occasional passages with Stephen in Cunningham's had somehow kept the Midland man in him alive. No, he hadn't felt himself a bit different while talking to this girl. Not really different, you know.

Now he was coming near the spot where he had met her. Again, almost to the minute, it was the same time of day. Yes, and there she was coming towards him, just the very same as on last Sunday. Suddenly he felt all hot and confused in himself. Surely she would think it peculiar to see him along this way so soon again? He stopped, his look turned suddenly to the river as if asking for some quick solution of his predicament? It would be harder to meet her laughing glance this time, particularly if she said the same thing again about walking all by oneself being a funny way of spending a fine Sunday?

But there was an answer, the queerest kind of answer, as he felt it, from the river. His eye had caught a solitary swan that had just moved into view round a bend. For a moment he seemed conscious of nothing only that proud and lonely sailing. The words of Stephen sang back into his ears again. "The ancient quality of fidelity, for when the swan's mate dies . . ." Still, there was a struggle in his heart, some overturning in his mind."

The girl had come beside him. He could feel that she must be smiling to see him gazing so intently at the lonely swan. Suddenly he turned and tried to look surprised at seeing her there. Both said it was a lovely day.

"I suppose you're wondering about him," she said.

"Yes—yes I was just wondering why, why he is alone?"

"They say he lost her a long time ago, the one who used to go with him up and down."

"Ah, yes, they say the swan——"

And then he could not go on. But she helped him.

"He must have liked her something wonderful!" was what she said.

"And so it must be lonely for him to be like that always now?"

"Sure it must be horrid altogether. But they're strange things, swans. Sometimes you'd think they weren't right at all."

It was only as she said this that John Williamson realised what was happening to him. For the first time in many years he was looking deep into a girl's eyes. He was overwhelmed by what that meant, trembling as he stood there beside her. But she was talking, turning away from him to follow the passage of the swan.

"It'd make you lonesome, so it would, looking at him like that always going up and down by himself. If only one knew what was in his mind about her it might be different."

What is in his mind about her . . . it might be different?

The secret of his heart was very near John Williamson's lips in this instant. In this overturned moment of his life he felt he could tell this girl everything, tell her, oh, tell her! All this had happened to him before, but he had never been able to tell Amy Vandeleur, never, and now she was dead, to him only a lovely memory of long ago! But he was a living man and this girl was beside him!

Words hurried through his mind, but still he was dumb; he was not speaking them. That delicate swan-shape beside him! There would be an end of his lonely life in the city with his books and pictures only, dead things! Men of his name had lived their proper lives here as country gentlemen! The stir of them was in his blood! They had known conquest and mastery in this place! They had mingled themselves with all the beauty that was here! And this girl now? Through his tumbling mind surged words to praise her, the lines of English poetry that spoke most nobly of love, the tenderest moments of the sweetest songs; words, too, that a poet of these parts had written and which graciously described the setting of their life together here in the coming time:

"A large house with climbing hollyhocks,
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She would be his most dear companion there for the remainder of the years!

She was beside him, and yet he could not speak; he could not tell her. Words thronged his mind, but what were words before the wonder that was all about him now? The words of Stephen in Cunningham's seemed no longer to have any meaning: "The ancient quality of fidelity?" He had fought the battle of fidelity; he had worn his life away remembering things long gone. They were fled for ever from him now, and he was not remembering any more. But there, someone was speaking, someone just beside him was speaking of faithfulness again:

"It must be wonderful to be real true like that all the same, never as much as looking at anyone else, remembering no one only her."

"The swan?" he questioned, turning to her vacantly after a moment's gaping silence.

"I suppose?" she answered. "You weren't saying a word to me anyway, only staring at him moving up the river. It's all the same to me anyway, whether he's moving up or moving down. I don't have much time to be thinking over them things, only of a Sunday."

"Only of a Sunday?"

"Sure, it's only that one day I can manage to meet him. Peter, you know?"

"Peter?"

"Aye, and to think that we'll be married before the summer comes again."

"Before the summer comes again?"

"And we'll not be having time then, either of us, to come here to see the swans. He was looking about the cottage for us last Sunday."

"Yes, that will be nice," said John Williamson, with lips that found it hard to open, scarcely realising that words were coming from him at all. The great words he had so wanted to say a moment ago, where were they now? The girl had turned from him, and was looking up the river. And she was saying something else. What was she saying now? Dim sounds were breaking on his ears. He had to struggle with himself to realise what she was saying.

"And, do you know, if here isn't Peter himself coming sloping along as easy as you please?"

She was smiling as she turned to John Williamson.

"But he's that shy in himself, if he saw me talking to anyone else he'd wait and wait till they were gone."

John Williamson now looked up the way she was gazing. Through the light branches where, here and there, dropped green, transparent curtains down to the bank, he saw a young man far off approaching, head down, deliberately.

When he looked again at the girl she was facing him with frank, open eyes. Some sense of the moment's meaning had come to her. There was a deep blush upon her cheeks, another quality in her voice when she spoke this time:

"I think poor Peter'd die if anything happened to me! But if anyone as much as put a finger on me, sure I think he'd kill him!"

As much as put a finger on her? The one whom, so recently, he, John Williamson, had wanted to take in his arms and keep to himself in love and beauty for ever in this place!

"Peter says the most curious things by times. Why, he'd nearly frighten you. It's often and often he's said that if I died or anything, God help us, he'd be as loyal as that poor fellow that went by there now, that he'd just go up and down here every Sunday of his life thinking of me, and never as much as look at another girl his whole life long. Don't men be queer to say such things? Well, good-bye now, sir, and I hope you'll enjoy your walk to-day even better than last Sunday."

Last Sunday? "The ancient quality of fidelity, for when the swan's mate dies he never takes another. . ." What had he done to himself this day? The glow of green and gold about him was blinding him to tears as he went from her. There was a crash, as if of great music all around him, and then a sound as if of lone singing down the river.

He was stumbling as he hurried on. He turned to close a gate behind him far down the path. His hands fell weakly upon it for support. His head was bowed, but he tried to raise his eyes to look upon her for the last time. At length he forced himself to the action. The young man, Peter, was by her side. He drove his gaze for a moment to see them closely together. He saw his arm go about her as they turned and went on together beyond the light curtains of the branches.

What had he done; oh, what had he done! Could it be indeed he had killed the swan that for so long had sailed the lonely river of his heart? The John Williamson who had loved Amy Vandeleur could never come this way again, for that John Williamson was dead.

"The swan is a most noble bird . . . It has . . . It has . . . 'The words of Stephen in Cunningham's were crashing all around him still as he went along.'"

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A REVIEWER, who has derived sufficient pleasure from volume after volume of Mr. Dennis Wheatley's works to be described fairly as a "Wheatley fan," can be acquitted of any charge of captious criticism if he suggests that Gregory Sallust has lived long enough. He must have a following, or Mr. Wheatley would not continue to weave histories of the war around him; but his exploits are not exciting enough to deprive us permanently of another "The Devil Rides Out" or another "Quest of Julian Day." This is not to say that "V for Vengeance"—in which Gregory finds himself in German-occupied Paris—fails to be admirable entertainment. But, being Mr. Wheatley's, it could be so much better.

Colonel Granby, on the other hand, improves with age. He also finds himself in German-occupied Paris, where he has entrusted himself with the delicate mission of making contact with a high British officer, who, to all appearances, has gone over to the enemy. There is method, however, in the General's madness, although the colonel has to do quite a lot of detective work, and meet quite a number of interesting people, before he ascertains the truth. Mr. Beeding is not of the blood-and-thunder school of secret service writers, but in his quiet way he contrives to pack a remarkable quantity of incident into his Granby books.

By way of contrast, Miss Gladys Mitchell brings us back to a world without war, and again we meet the redoubtable Mrs. Bradley, leering as horribly as ever, and yet as attractive as ever. This is, perhaps, the best of all the Mrs Bradley books. Reminiscent—without suspicion of plagiarism—of Miss Dorothy Sayers's "Gaudy Night," the scene is set in a training college for school-teachers. There has been a disappearance, preceded by a murder, which might, or might not, be related thereto, and on Mrs. Bradley's arrival to take up the post of warden of one of the halls, curious and unpleasant things begin to happen. The crime, and its solution, are elaborate and ingenious; but, even if you loathed crime and all its manifestations, you would revel in "Laurels are Poison" for its delightful picture of Athelstan Hall, its denizens and its unconventional warden.

Rome and the Counter Reformation in England (by Philip Hughes). This is an unusual and interesting book, telling, probably for the first time in such a form, of the steps which the Catholic Church took to counter the Reformation in England. It is a narration based on contemporary sources, and figuring such famous characters as Pole, Persons, Cecil, Richard Smith and Allen, and the Popes Gregory XIII. and XV., and is amply illustrated with reproductions of portraits of the actors in this great drama. (Burns, Oates, 18s. net.)

Cæsar and Cleopatra

The Romance of a Nose. By Lord Berners. Constable. 7/6 net.

PASCAL, I think it was, once remarked that if Cleopatra's nose had been longer—or shorter, I forget which—the face of the whole world might have been changed. Lord Berners, inspired by this chance remark, starts out to write a study of Cleopatra, supposing, for the sake of argument, that she was born with a nose out of all proportion to the rest of her features, and that her visit to Thebes was arranged simply and solely to give her an opportunity to see a certain famous plastic surgeon about this unbeautiful appendage.

The resultant novel is pure fantasy. Dr. Serapion, the surgeon, did his stuff, and the operation was a complete success, which, of course, accounts for the—historical—fact that Cleopatra was as successful in all her dealings after her visit to Thebes, as she had been unsuccessful before that.

Having concluded the matter of The Nose in a fantastically plausible manner, Lord Berners settles down to a short, but exceedingly lucid and thoroughly amusing, study of Cæsar and Cleopatra; he also devotes some little attention to the supporting cast, which includes such famous figures as Potheinos, Apollodorus, Theodotus, Ptolemy and Hirtius.

His characters are fresh and vital, based, I should think, more on Bernard Shaw's "Cæsar and Cleopatra" than on any wealth of historical evidence, but they are so amusing that one can overlook their unauthenticity.

Cleopatra he delineates as a bright young thing with an insatiable appetite for knowledge and a distressing habit of asking embarrassing questions. Listen to her prattling about poetic criticism, and whether the Odyssey was written by a woman:—

"I once asked Theodotus if he thought so, and he said, 'No, certainly not,' and when I asked him why not, he said, 'because no woman is capable of writing decent poetry' (rude, wasn't it?), and so I said, 'What about Sappho?' and he said, 'Oh, Sappho's different.' Now tell me, Doctor Serapion, to what extent do you think her work was influenced by . . ." Here she was hastily interrupted by the doctor.

Although obviously very young, his Cleopatra knows all the tricks of the trade; let me quote another specimen of her conversation, a remark or two about Cæsar's "affliction":

"You must meet Doctor Serapion, Cæsar. You'd adore him. He might be able to do something about your hair, if you really wish it. Personally, I prefer a noble brow, and I think low foreheads always give men a mean appearance."

Cæsar he represents as an old fool, with an imagination sufficiently fertile to enable him to see himself as a young fool, and withal, with a supreme sense of humour and an indefinable aura of greatness; a Cæsar who fancied himself not only as an Alexander and a Casanova, but also as a Vergil. Here is a conversation between Hirtius and Cæsar on this topic:

"I maintain that no Roman will ever write good poetry. So stick to prose, Cæsar, stick to prose."

"If only I had more time for meditation. When I was a captive of the Cilician pirates, I wrote quite a lot of poetry. I read it to them and they very much appreciated it."

"I have always heard that you had them crucified for scoffing at it, Cæsar."

"Nonsense, they liked it very much. I had them crucified for very different reasons."

Another instance of Cæsar's scholastic nature even in the face of adverse circumstances:—

As the library at Alexandria—which Cleopatra insisted was not the library at all, but a warehouse nearby in which books for exportation were stored—began to blaze, Cæsar drew away from the crowd and moved over to a table. He smoothed out a sheet of papyrus, and in his neat and scholarly handwriting he began:—"De Bello Alexandrino. . . ."

From the first page to the last the book sparkles with humorous touches; you will be able to read it in a night and laugh about it for a week. By no means the least amusing features are the footnotes with which the author has painstakingly furnished it. For instance, when Cleopatra makes up her mind to go to Rome with Cæsar, she says:—

"I pine to see the famous city, to make the acquaintance of its famous men. I am particularly anxious to meet Cicero. I feel that we shall get on very well together." (Here Lord Berners adds a footnote: "They didn't. Cleopatra promised to get some books out of the Alexandrian Library for him, and then forgot about it. Cicero took her forgetfulness very much to heart, and wrote, in a letter to Atticus, 'I hate the Queen.'")

"The Romance of a Nose" is about as funny as the author's last book, "Count Omega," was unfunny, which is saying a great deal, and I am as enthusiastic about the former as I was "allergic" to the latter, which all goes to show the inconsistency of human nature on the one hand and human endeavour on the other.

G. H. G.

The English Novel

English Novelists. By Elizabeth Bowen. London: Collins. 4/6 net.

MISS ELIZABETH BOWEN'S review of the great English novelists is satisfactory from several viewpoints. Firstly, it is the work of an eminent writer who is herself a novelist, and, also, it subscribes largely to the general opinion regarding its subjects and refrains from any iconoclastic or unduly argumentative assertions.

Miss Bowen has most certainly read her material to good effect. She betrays no slipshod information and her opinions and conclusions arise from a profound knowledge of the writings and the lives of their authors.

The book is not large, but it is sound, and the illustrations, sometimes taken from rare prints, are excellent.

The Life of Stalin

Josef Stalin: Man of Steel. By David M. Cole. London: Rich and Cowan. 6/- net.

PANEGYRIC used to be reserved for royal biographies, now it is introduced into the life story of all national leaders. Soviet Russia has never believed in freedom of speech or of expression and so it is well-nigh impossible to get at the truth about Stalin—undoubtedly one of the great men of history. This book embodies very definitely the official story which is widely different from that propagated by the Trotsky group. Much of it never can be verified, and some of Mr. Cole's statements certainly receive little support from independent observation. In this class is the assertion that the Georgian peasant strike of 1905 was led by the future Dictator.

Nevertheless, there is an undoubted public for a life of the Russian leader, and in this book we can see him as he desires to be known to his compatriots. He has gathered to himself an immense power, and his little known gifts of mind and character may well affect the world for centuries to come.

Mr. Cole, for reasons best known to himself, never has awakened to the fact that Stalin has been for some time both Prime Minister and Minister for Defence as well as Secretary of the Communist Party.

The Evolution of the Empire

Studies in the Evolution of Dominion Status. By Gwen Neuendorff. London: George Allen and Unwin. 18/- net.

THE rise of certain of the British Dominions from a comparatively subordinate position to their present status of equality, integrity and a conscious nationalism is a fascinating study, especially when viewed against the grim background of these days, and in the light of certain political events.

Dr. Neuendorff brings a certain freshness of treatment to her subject, particularly when it is remembered that she is herself a South African, a member of a sister Dominion, whose career, national and political, is, and has been, so vital, even to the point of a certain turbulence. There is coherence throughout this book, a coherence largely explained by the writer's acceptance of the Governor-Generalship as a sort of political backbone from and around which the framework, both legislative and social, of the country itself has developed, all clothed with the flesh of nationalism sprung from the many things which rise and cohere where a large population is to be found.

The book gains considerably in freshness by Dr. Neuendorff's treatment of the major political and other characters. These are by no means aloof historical figures, but are almost biographically drawn, their characters often illustrated by quotations from letters and documents.

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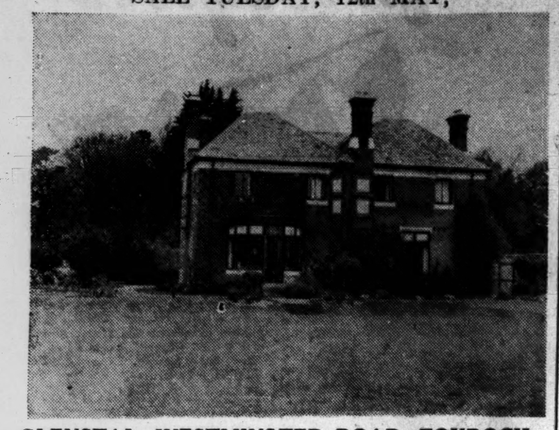

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JEWELLERY, SILVER, FURNITURE AND MISCELLANEOUS COLLECTABLE ITEMS.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,

Auctioneers and Valuers 110 GRAFTON STREET.

FURNITURE AUCTION AT

1 FITZWILLIAM PLACE,

ON THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, MAY 14 and 15.

I HAVE been instructed to dispose of the valuable FURNITURE, CARPETS, CURTAINS, etc., of the above residence, including:—"Bechstein" Baby Grand Piano, "Frigidaire," "Marconi" All-Wave Record-changing Radiogram and Records, "Ecko" Radio, Record Player, "Lafayette" Car Radio; 8 Carved Chippendale D/R Chairs with claw feet, 8ft. Din. Table, 8ft. Adams Sideboard, 2-Tier Dumb Waiter and Carving Table to match; collection of Silver and Plated Ware, Cut Glass, etc.; Canteen Cutlery (75 pcs.), Candelabra, costly 4ft. Walnut Bedroom Suite, pair 3ft. Beds with "Hiltonia" Mattresses to match, 5ft. Walnut ditto, Oak Nursery Bedroom Suite and Beds, Antique Chipp. Grandfather Clock, Antique 4-fold Mahogany Draught Screen, Mahogany Knee-hole Leather-top Writing Table with ball and claw feet, pair Elbow Chairs to match, 7-drawer Chipp. Tallboys, Chipp. Hat and Coat Rack, Adams Hall Table, Bronze Statues and Groups, Chipp. Palm Stands; Oil Paintings by McKelvey and Alexander; "The Rake's Progress" by Jackson Stodart, after Hogarth; Set of Green Chinese Lacquer Furniture, including 3-Pce. Bergere Suite; 2 Tub Chairs, 4ft. China Cabinet and Nest of Wine Tables, Sheraton Bureau; coslly Curtains in Tapestry and Plush; pair Armchairs in Maroon Morocco Leather, Barograph; fine Chinese Carpet (18' 0" by 12' 0"); Axminster Carpets in various sizes—15' 0" by 12' 0" to 25' 0" by 17'; Hall Runner, 23' 0" by 5' 3"; Mohair Rugs and Mats, Stair Carpet; "Remington" Portable Typewriter, Electric Fires, Tea Trolley, Nests of Wine Tables, "Hoover" Vacuum Cleaner, ditto Dustette, Cane Bedroom Armchairs, Linen Basket, Reading Lamps, Bedside Tables, Mahogany Carved Edge Occ. Table with claw and ball feet, Bronze Clock Set, Table Tennis Table, Miniature Billiard Table, Rocking Horse, Personal Weighing Scales, Kitchen Utensils and Furniture, Steriliser, Instrument Table, 2 Electric Razors large collection Modern Novels, etc., etc.

Sale at 12 o'clock each day. Admission by Catalogue only (price 2/-). On View Wednesday, 13th inst., from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. 'Phone to house, 61890.

JAMES J. SCANNELL, M.I.A.A.,

AUCTIONEER AND ESTATE AGENT, 4 BACHELOR'S WALK.

COUNTY OF TIPPERARY.

DESIRABLE RESIDENTIAL HOLDING FOR SALE.

SUBSCRIBERS have received instructions from Mr. Robert Horan to dispose of his holding.

"FAIRYMOUNT," KNOCKSHEGOWNA, SHINRONE,

BY PUBLIC AUCTION, AT EGAN'S HOTEL, BIRR.

On TUESDAY NEXT, 5th DAY OF MAY, 1942, at 1 p.m.,

Comprising part of the Lands of FAIRYMOUNT and KNOCKSHEGOWNA, containing 167 acres, or thereabouts, held from the Irish Land Commission, subject to the half-yearly annuity of £9 1s. 10d. P.L.V. £54 5s. 0d. This residential holding adjoins the Birr-Clonaghjordan road, being five miles from the former and three miles from the latter, and a ¼ mile from the Pyke. It is divided into suitable-sized fields, well fenced, watered and sheltered, and has been carefully husbanded. It is well known for its tillage and grazing qualities. The lands are at present laid out as follows:—9 acres Winter Wheat, 4 acres Barley, 8 acres Oats, 2½ acres Turnips, 1 acre Mangolds, 2½ acres Potatoes, 2 acres Beet, 3 acres New Grass, about 25 acres for Meadow, 3 acres Bog.

The two-storey-and-basement Residence (which contains 9 apartments), together with the usual range of out-offices (all of which are in good state of repair), stand in the centre of the holding. Adjoining is a well-stocked fruit and vegetable garden and about an acre of a new orchard. There is also about 10 acres of a valuable wood (Oak, Ash, Beech) on the holding.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

J. J. KENNEDY, Esq., Birr, Solicitor having Carriage of Sale; or to

JOHN DOOLY & SONS, LTD., M.I.A.A.,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, BIRR AND DUBLIN.

ADAM'S SALEROOMS, 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN, N.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY NEXT,

6th and 7th MAY, at 12 Noon prompt.

INTERESTING AUCTION SALE OF ANTIQUE AND COSTLY MODERN FURNITURE, A GERMAN BOUDOIR GRAND PIANO, VERY FINE STEINWAY, COLLARD AND COLLARD AND OTHER UPRIGHT PIANOS; IRISH HARP by Egan, PHILIPS AND PHILCO WIRELESS SETS, handsome OLD IRISH AND VENETIAN Cut Glass CHANDELIERS; GEORGIAN Pier, Convex and other GILT WALL MIRRORS; SILVER, Old SHEFFIELD AND ELECTRO PLATE; Choice DECORATIVE AND TABLE GLASS AND CHINA; OIL PAINTINGS, ENGRAVINGS, OLD COL'R'D SPORTING PRINTS, BOOKS; Bronzes, Brasses, Clocks and Objets d'Art. Carpets, Magnet Electric Floor Polisher and numerous other Miscellaneous Effects. On View Tuesday next, 10 till 5. Delivery on Friday, 8th, on which day all purchases MUST be removed.

JAMES ADAM & SONS

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A.,

17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

EXECUTORS' SALE CHARLOTTE STERNE, deceased.

WEDNESDAY, 13th MAY, at 12 Noon,

ON THE PREMISES,

No. 22 CLARINDA PARK, W., DUN LAOGHAIRE.

HOUSE AND FURNITURE.

The premises are held under Lease from Lords Longford and De Vesci for a term of 96 years from 1st May, 1903, at the annual rent of £18; the P.L. Valuation £33.

The house is two-storey and non-basement, well built and in excellent order. Accommodation: 3 reception, 5 bedrooms, bathroom, h. and c.; 2 w.c.s, kitchen, pantries, etc. Very good out-offices; rear entrance. Vacant Possession to Purchaser.

Conditions of Sale from ARTHUR G. QUIRKE, Solicitor, 7 Suffolk Street, Dublin.

ON SAME DATE, AT 12.30 O'CLOCK,

THE EXCELLENT ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE, RADIO SET, PIANO, OLD CHINA, GLASS, PICTURES, EXCELLENT CARPETS, etc. Full particulars in future advt.

JOHN THORNTON & CO., Auctioneers,

46 UPPER GEORGE'S STREET, DUN LAOGHAIRE.

'PHONE 81079.

KNOCKEEN, WATERFORD.

IMPORTANT CLEARANCE AUCTION OF Primo Dairy Cows, 4 first-class Working Horses, Trapping Mares, Farm Carts, Implements, McCormack Reaper and Binder, "Delco" 110 volt Electric Lighting Plant, including 14 h.p. combined engine and dynamo, with switchboard; Saddlery, Farmyard Manure, etc.,

At the Farmyard, Knockeen, 4 miles from Waterford, by instructions of J. A. A. Widger, Esq., on

TUESDAY NEXT, 5th MAY,

AT 12 O'CLOCK (OLD TIME).

JOHN D. PALMER,

M.I.A.A. (H. M. Palmer),

Auctioneer and Valuer,

WATERFORD.

CLEARANCE SALE

AT BALALLY HOUSE, SANDYFORD, CO. DUBLIN.

Per instructions of John Byrne, Esq. (who is retiring from the Dairy Business),

BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

ON THE PREMISES, THURSDAY NEXT, 7th MAY, 1942, 12.30 P.M.

Forty Milch, Springer and Fat Cows, Horses, Scotch and other Carts, Grain Cart, Harness, Ploughs, Harrows, Manure Distributor, Swath Turner, Hay Bogies, Lever Rake, Hay Collector, Mowing Machine, almost new (Bomford); Milk Float, Ford Van (10 cwt.), almost new; Dairying Utensils, etc.

JOHN McKEOWN,

Auctioneer, 4 HAYMARKET, DUBLIN.

'Phone 74022.

ARCHBOLD, CORRY & O'CONNOR'S SALES

EXECUTORS' SALE. DR. P. J. LYDON, DECEASED.

WEDNESDAY NEXT, 6th MAY, at 12.30,

FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, AT

ST. DOMINICK'S, TALLAGHT.

Comprising: Gilt Console Table with mirror, Display Cabinet, Onyx and Gilt Mantel Timepiece, Venetian Mirror, Dining Table and Chairs, Jardiniere Stands, Carved Mahogany Sideboard with bow centre and mirror back, Bookshelves, Walnut Bedroom Suite, Bedsteads, Linoleum and Miscellaneous Effects which will be on view Tuesday next 5th inst., from 12 o'clock to 4.30.

SALE AT 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY,

NEXT FRIDAY, 8th MAY, at 2 o'c.,

FAVOURABLY-KNOWN LICENSED HOUSE,

LLOYD'S, HAROLD'S CROSS BRIDGE.

A prominently placed Business Premises, with Residence, situate in a vast residential district, comprising: Spacious Bar, with tall lounge, stores, cellarage, and yard; also residential accommodation, consisting of drawingroom, diningroom, two bedrooms, bathroom with fixed hand basin, separate w.c. The situation of this house is very favourable for an extensive and profitable business. Lease 99 years from 1924 at £80 yearly. P.L.V. £30.

Conditions of Sale from:—JAMES L. BURKE & CO., Solicitors, 63 Upr. O'Connell St.

SALES FRIDAY, 15th MAY, at 2 o'c.,

AT 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY.

NEAT DWELLINGHOUSE.

30 PEMBROKE STREET, IRISHTOWN.

Lease 114¼ years from 1939. Rent £5. P.L.V. £11.

Brick built, two storeys, containing sittingroom, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, close range, pantry, scullery, bathroom, hand basin, w.c., h. and c. water, electric and gas; yard. Convenient to church and school. Suit small investor. Can be seen daily 2 to 5 o'clock. Possession to purchaser.

D. J. BERGIN, Solicitor, 7 Suffolk street.

Bourke v. O'Doherty.

Sale by Order of the Circuit Court.

39 HAMILTON STREET, S.C. ROAD.

Let to monthly tenant at £48 yearly. Lease 500 years from 1896 at £2 12s. 6d. per annum, landlord paying rates. P.L.V. £16. Annual profit rent £28 19s. 6d. Two storey, brick built and compoed, 6 apartments, bath, etc., electric light, garden. Purchaser will not be required to pay Auctioneers' commission.

JAMES FAGAN, Solicitor, 58 Parnell square.

FRIDAY, 22nd MAY, at 2 o'c.,

AT 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY,

IMPORTANT SEMI-SUBURBAN LICENSED PREMISES,

HUGHES'S, SUSSEX TER., LEESON ST., UPR.

Per instructions of Mr. Joseph Hughes, who is retiring after 40 years of very successful trading.

Full particulars will be duly announced.

MANGAN & HUGHES, Solicitors, 31 Dame Street.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE. JOHN O'BRIEN, DECEASED.

VERY VALUABLE SUBURBAN LICENSED PREMISES,

TEMPLEOGUE INN, TEMPLEOGUE,

4 MILES FROM DUBLIN.

Full particulars in future announcements.

MANGAN & HUGHES, Solicitors, 31 Dame Street.

ARCHBOLD, CORRY & O'CONNOR, M.I.A.A.

AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS. 'Phone 73500. 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

JACKSON STOPS & McCABE

AUCTION SALE,

WEDNESDAY NEXT, 6th MAY,

AT 35 KILDARE STREET, at 2.30 p.m.,

61 NORTHUMBERLAND ROAD.

Situated between St. Mary's road and Pembroke road. Semi-detached Residence, in splendid condition. The house has been partially converted into flats. The garden level Flat contains 3 rooms, bathroom and w.c., kitchenette; outside coalhouse. Separate entrance. The Hall Floor and part of the Lower Ground Floor contains hall, cloakroom (h. and c. and w.c.), drawingroom with verandah and steps to garden, diningroom, 2 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, pantry, scullery, coalhouse. Separate side entrance and large garden. Vacant possession will be given of these two Flats. The Top Flat contains drawingroom, diningroom, 2 bedrooms (wash-hand basin in one), bathroom, w.c., and kitchenette. This Flat is let at £100 per annum. Large double garage at rear.

Held, along with No. 59, under Lease from the Pembroke Estate for 150 years from 25th March, 1883, at the yearly rent of £16, now adjusted to £15 9s. 0d., but primarily liable to £7 14s. 6d., and indemnified against the balance by No. 59. P.L.V. £75.

Solicitors: Messrs. ARTHUR COX & CO., 42 Stephen's Green.

OF INTEREST TO CITY CORPORATIONS, CITY AND COUNTY COUNCILS, BUILDERS, BUILDERS' PROVIDERS, INSTITUTIONS, ETC.

BY DIRECTION OF THE CEMENTATION CO., LTD., WHO HAVE COMPLETED THEIR CONTRACT ON THE LIFFEY WATER SUPPLY SCHEME.

AUCTION SALE,

ON THE SITE AT POULAPHOUCA, CO. KILDARE

('BUS PASSES SITE),

AT A DATE IN MAY TO BE FIXED LATER,

HIGHLY IMPORTANT CLEARANCE SALE OF BUNGALOWS, MACHINERY, ETC., ETC.,

Comprising briefly:—Several exceptionally well-constructed Timber Framed Bungalows and Stores, complete and in various sizes; Sullivan Scraper Loader, J.A.45 Ingersoll Jackhammers, C.P.17 Paving Breakers, Stallion Winch, 2 Crab Winches, Lister Pump, Two 1½" Deeming Pumps, Two 25 Ingersoll Rand Sump Pumps, Thirty 1 cub. yd. Tipping Buckets, Electric Drill, complete Acetylene Welding Plant, Air Receiving Tank, S.49 Jackhammer, Rex Portable Concrete Mixer, Two 10 m.m. Hammer Drills, Portable Concrete Mixer, 6 Homelite Pumps, C.2 Chipping Hammer, One 400-Gallon Galvanised Tank, One 500-Gallon do., Lister Pump Body, Two 8.73 Diggers, Sullivan Hoist, Holman Drifter, 2-ton Divd. Purchase Winch, Ingersoll Pick (size 300), 815 feet of Air Hose, 73 Bottle Jacks, 300 feet 4" Wire Rope, 13 Unassembled Rail Crossings, 13 Assembled do., Five 5-Way do., 3 Sets Stocks and Dies (various sizes), Steel Cutting Machine, Set 5-ton Chain Blocks, Condenser, Set 1¼-ton Chain Blocks, Symmetrical Jubilee Crossings, Steel Magazine Doors, 5 Column Arms, 12 Column Clamps, 3 Tripods, Set Block and Tackle (½ ton), 13 Closets, several Wash Basins, Parallel Baths, Copper Cylinders and Immersion Heaters (various sizes), Tilly Lamps, Asbestos Packing, 7 Steel Bonds (various sizes), Furniture and other contents of Staff Quarters, Field Drain Pipes, Concrete Pipes, 50 Sheets Corrugated Iron, 9 Iron Field Gates, 10'; 2 Reels 4" Steel Rope, 8 cwts. Lead Wool, 8 cwts. ½" Steel Wire, Ransome Pump 3" with J.A.P. Engine, 10-cwt. Morris Van, large quantities Scrap Iron, Timber, etc., etc.

The foregoing is intended as a short resume indicating the nature of the several hundred items in the Sale. A complete Catalogue (price 2/6) will be available from the Auctioneers in due course.

JACKSON STOPS & McCABE

(ARTHUR W. McCABE, F.A.I., M.I.A.A.),

35 KILDARE STREET, DUBLIN.

TELEPHONE—62359 (2 LINES).

"BATTERSBY'S AUCTIONS"

MONDAY, 11th MAY, AT THE PREMISES, 3 p.m.

(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF).

32 ROSMEEN PARK, DUN LAOGHAIRE.

ATTRACTIVE, SEMI-DETACHED, MODERN HOUSE. POSSESSION. Nice situation, beside tram, train and 'bus. Bow windows, and contains: Hall and cloakroom (wash basin, h. and c.), 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, maid's room, bath and wash basin (h. and c.), hot press, kitchen (tessellated floor, close range and wash-up, h. and c.). Nice garden front and rear; garage and side entrance. In splendid decorative order, with electric light and gas laid on.

Held for 120 years from 1932 at £12 10s. 0d. per an. P.L.V. £29. Seen on order, 3 to 5 p.m. daily.

Messrs. ARTHUR O'HAGAN & SON, Solicitors, 9 Harcourt St.

AND ON TUESDAY, 12th MAY, at 12 Noon,

THE HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE, CHINA, ETC.

Full particulars of which will appear in next advertisement.

On View day previous, 2 to 5 o'clock. Admission to View and Sale by Ticket, 1/-. Terms: Cash and 5 per cent. fees.

OUR PROPERTY SALE ON 21st MAY WILL INCLUDE:—

(ALL WITH POSSESSION)

"MONTROSE," HOWTH. Attractive, semi-detached.

218 CLONLIFFE RD., DRUMCONDRA. Convenient.

277 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD (opp. Rathdown Rd.).

82 SEAFIELD RD., E., CLONTARF. On ¾ Acre.

Full details from Auctioneers.

ON A DATE LATER IN MAY,

"WHALEY ABBEY," RATHDRUM, CO. WICKLOW.

HAVING SOLD THIS PROPERTY, we shall hold a SALE at the Premises of THE ENTIRE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, CATTLE, AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, etc. Full details later advertisements

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39 WESTMORELAND ST., DUBLIN.

ESTABLISHED IN THE YEAR 1815.

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GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE, N.W. DUBLIN,

Convenient to city and 'bus route, with from 3 to 20 Irish acres of prime quality Land.

Full particulars from

GAVIN LOW, LTD.

BALBRIGGAN LIVE STOCK SALE,

MONDAY NEXT,

AT 12 O'CLOCK.

Entries include Fat and Store Stock, also Milch Cows and Springers, direct from local farmers.

STORE CATTLE SALE,

AT 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

ON WEDNESDAY NEXT,

AT 12 O'CLOCK.

A rubber-tyred Milk Float, steel grey Pony, 3 years, and Set of brass-mounted Harness will be sold before the Cattle.

FURTHER ENTRIES SOLICITED.

GAVIN LOW, LTD., M.I.A.A.,

50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

WHITE BRIDGE HOTEL, AVOCA.

AUCTION THURSDAY, 7th MAY, at 2 o'c., On the Premises.

FULLY LICENSED PREMISES, containing well-fitted Bar, Lounge, dining and sittingrooms, office, 7 bedrooms with h. and c. water, bathroom, 3 lavatories, kitchen with range and Aga cooker, pantries, cellars, stores; electric light; gravitation water supply; large fruit and vegetable garden. Perfect order; no outlay. Also large garage (1,000 square feet), 2 electric petrol pumps, and corrugated iron dance hall, 62' x 25', with supper and cloakrooms, kitchen and lavatories. Free from rent. P.L.V. £22. Licence Duty £8 13/4. Trading particulars on application. Stock and Furniture can be taken by Valuation.

AUGUSTUS CULLEN, Wicklow, Solicitor for Vendor.

DANIEL CONDREN & SONS,

AUCTIONEERS, ARKLOW.

FURNITURE REMOVALS. STORAGE. PACKERS.

BEVERLY SMYTH & SONS

ESTIMATES FREE. 30 SOUTH ANNE ST., DUBLIN. 'Phone 43087.

EXECUTOR'S SALE.

AUCTION FRIDAY, 22nd MAY, 1942.

MELMORE, BRIGHTON AVENUE, MONKSTOWN.

On the Premises.

HOUSE AND FURNITURE.

Semi-detached House, 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, maid's room. All modern conveniences. Long garden and garage. Delightful situation. First-class residential district. P.L.V. £29. G. rent £20. Held for 99 years from May, 1928. Key at No. 3.

Furniture includes Upright Grand Piano, Wireless Set, Chesterfield Suite, Diningroom Suite, Carpets, Bedroom Furniture, etc. List later.

Sale of House at 12 o'clock. Furniture immediately after.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. T. F. O'CONNELL ROONEY and CO., Solicitors, 34 Kildare street; or

BOWLES & CO., M.I.A.A.,

Auctioneers and Surveyors,

24 SOUTH FREDERICK STREET. 'Phone 63792.

STORE CATTLE SALE,

WEDNESDAY NEXT,

AT 11 A.M.

Early Entries will oblige.

CRAIGIE BROS.,

37 PRUSSIA ST., DUBLIN.

FARM FOR SALE.

DAIRY FARM FOR SALE

(By Private Treaty),

NORTH CO. DUBLIN.

An exceptionally good farm, eminently suitable for dairying, containing 190 statute acres, with medium-sized residence and suitable farm buildings. It is situated 4 miles from City Boundary.

For further particulars apply to—

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GOFF'S PROPERTY SALES.

CURRAGH GRANGE, NEWBRIDGE, CO. KILDARE.

MESSRS. ROBT. J. GOFF & CO., LTD., are instructed by Mrs. P. Burrell (who is now residing in England) to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION at the GRANGE on FRIDAY, 15th MAY, 1942, at 2 o'clock, the above attractive Residence, together with 40 Acres, or thereabouts, Statute Measure; held under Lease for 200 years from 25th March, 1899, subject to £120 0s. 0d. per annum. P.L. Valn.: Buildings £178 0s. 0d.; do., Land £35 15s. 0d.

Situate in centre of Kildare Hunt, and within easy reach of 4 other Packs, on edge of Curragh and 1 mile from Newbridge, the residence is built of red brick, tiled roof, with fancy pebble-dashed walls and comprises suite of 5 reception, 8 family bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, w.c.s, ample servants' accommodation with bathroom, etc.; servants' hall, kitchen with large Aga cooker, scullery, pantries, etc. Central heating, electric light and telephone. Own water supply pumped by electric motor. Perfect sanitation. 2 tennis courts, squash racquet do., gardener's house, 5 lodges (4 let to solvent tenants bring in £123 per annum; vacant cottage easily lettable, 7/6 weekly). Beautifully laid-out pleasure grounds. Natural rock, Italian, flower, fruit and vegetable gardens, fully stocked. Peach, nectarine, vinery and large tomato houses.

The house, which can easily be divided to make 2 separate houses, is in perfect repair, Owner having spared no expense repainting and redecorating within the past 3 years. 2 small paddocks are let to 1st March, 1943. Property will be sold subject to the lettings, with clear possession of the remainder on completion of purchase.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply

PETER P. WILKINSON, Esq. Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, Naas; or to

MESSRS. ROBT. J. GOFF & CO., LTD.,

M.I.A.A., Auctioneers, NEWBRIDGE.

and 60/61 LOWER MOUNT STREET, DUBLIN.

THOS. DOCKRELL SONS & CO., LTD.,

FURNITURE AUCTION,

TUESDAY NEXT, 5th INST., at 12 o'c., at

KILCARNE, 9 AILESBURY PARK.

On View Monday next, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Admission to View and Sale, Sixpence.

PROPERTY AUCTION,

THURSDAY NEXT, 7th INST.,

At 1.15, at our Property Salerooms, South Great George's St.

EXECUTOR'S SALE—MADELINE CULKIN, Deceased.

MONREITH, 39 JONES'S ROAD.

Two-storey House. 5 apartments, h. and c. bath, range, wash-basins in 2 bedrooms; electric light; yard, outside w.c., coal house, garden, greenhouse.

Held for 300 years from the 23rd March 1867, at £4 per annum. P.L.V. £13.

The house will be open for inspection to-day from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

HENRY B. FOTTRELL, Esq., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, 11 Anglesea Street, Dublin.

IMPORTANT FURNITURE AUCTION,

WEDNESDAY, 20th MAY, at 11.30 a.m.,

WAKEFIELD, GROSVENOR RD., RATHMINES,

ANTIQUE AND HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE, SCHIEDMAYER BABY GRAND PIANO, SILVER AND PLATED WARE, CUT-GLASS CHANDELIERS, FINE QUALITY CARPETING, PHILIPS' ALL-MAIN WIRELESS SET.

Including:—Schiedmayer Baby Grand Piano in excellent condition; 3-Piece Chesterfield Suite, Shaped Buhl Cabinet, Pair of Marble-top do., French China Cabinet, Sheraton do.; 6 Satinwood Shield-back Drawingroom Chairs, Sheraton Flap-top Table, do. Writing Table, do. Bureau Bookcase; Antique Finely Made Sheraton Sideboard with bow front, Chippendale Oval-end Dining Table with claw and ball feet, do. Style Dining Table, 2 Sets of 8 Chippendale Dining Chairs, Chippendale Folding-top Card Table, Carved Chippendale Mahog. Hall Table with claw and ball feet; Chippendale Rug Chest, do. Tripod Coat Stand, 2 do. Style Hall Chairs, Grandfather Clock in Sheraton case with brass dial, 2 Mahog. Mirror-back Sideboards, Inlaid Mahog. Wine Table, Mahog. Telescopic Waiter, Antique Bronze Clock, with Pair of Vases to match; Walnut Slope-front Bureau, Queen Anne Style Folding-top Card Table, Silver and Plated Ware, including:—Chased Silver Tea and Coffee Services, do. Salver, Silver Pierced Cake Basket, King's Pattern Cutlery; China, Ornaments and Glass Ware; Dinner, Tea and Coffee Services; Walnut Cocktail Cabinet; highly manufactured Walnut Bedroom Suite, with Double Bed to match; Inlaid Mahog. 3-Piece Bedroom Suite, 4-Piece Mahog. Bedroom Suite, Mahog. and Satin Walnut Wardrobes, Inlaid Mahog. Single Beds, Mahog. Blanket Chest; Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, including Copper and Aluminium Ware, New World All Enamel Gas Cooker, Anthracite Stoves, Electric Fires, Moffit Iron Safe, Pair of Metal Garden Vases, Lawn Mower, Garden Tools, etc., etc.

On View Tuesday, 19th inst. from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Admission to View and Sale by ticket only, price 1/-

THOS. DOCKRELL SONS & CO., LTD.,

Auctioneers and Valuers, M.I.A.A.,

38/39 STH. GREAT GEORGE'S STREET. Telephone 71351.

HOLDINGS FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

SWORDS, CO. DUBLIN.

(For the Owner).

ON WEDNESDAY, 13th MAY, at 12 o'clock at OUR SALESROOMS, 31 MANOR STREET, DUBLIN:—

LOT 1.—Fosterstown North, containing 10a. 2r. 38p., half grass, half tillage. P.L.V. £15. Held in Fee-simple.

LOT 2.—Forest Field, containing 5a. 2r. 22p., tillage. P.L.V. £8 15s. 0d. Held in Fee-simple

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

Messrs. KENNEDY & McGONAGLE, Solicitors, 34 Upper O'Connell street, Dublin; or to

JOHN P. CUFFE, LTD.

SAME DAY at 12.30.

ESKER, LUCAN, CO. DUBLIN,

(For Mr. C. Twibill).

Containing 144 Statute acres, with cottage thereon. P.L.V.: On Land £9, on Buildings £3. Annuity £9. Yard, containing loose boxes, tyings for 7 cows, stable with good loft, sheds, etc. Land well watered and fenced. Situated 6 miles from Dublin, with good bus service.

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DERMOT P. MORRIS, Esq., Solicitor, 68 Dame street, Dublin; or to

JOHN P. CUFFE, LTD.,

M.I.A.A.,

Auctioneers, Valuers & Livestock Salesmen, 31 MANOR STREET, DUBLIN.

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MONEY, PARTNERSHIPS.

CASH Advances from £20 upwards.—Y. Reade Ltd., 68 Charlemont street, Dublin. With or without security. X

CASH Advances, £25 to £5,000, with or without security.—The Dublin Financial Corporation, Ltd., 6 Westmoreland street, Dublin. 'Phone 21287. T

THE National Finance Co., Ltd., 83 Mid. Abbey st., Dublin.—Advances from £20 to £1,000 daily to all parts of Ireland, without any security. 'Phone Dublin 43780. T

WOOD Charcoal Burning.—Advertiser with capital would like to get into touch with person conversant with same or with equipment necessary for manufacturing on a commercial scale; state qualifications, experience or equipment offered. Box Z 4923, Person.

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